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HONGKONG, MONDAY, 5TH JUNE, 1871.

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	Arrivals.	Banks.	Intimations,	Auetions.	Notices of Firms.	Infimations.	I RUINKHOUS.
	June 3. Douglas, Brit. str., 615, Toppin,	ONGEON OF DIFFERENCE PARTY AND	THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,	PUBLIC AUCTION.	NOTICE.  NOTICE.  ATE, CHARLES JAMES HOLLIDAY is		EUREKA VARIETY TROUPE.  W. E. Rogers
	Foochow 31st May, Amoy 1st June, and	SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL - 5,000,000 of Dollars.	(LIMITED).	THE Undersigned has received instructions to offer for sale at Public Auction,	VI authorised to sign our firm per procura-	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	CHAS. RHOADES
	Co.	Court of Directors:	CAPITAL-1,500,000 DOLLARS, IN 1,500 SHARES OF 1,000 DOLLARS EACH.	TO.MORROW,	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 1m 949 Honghong, 2nd June, 1871.	OTICE is hereby given, that in com-	nouncing that they will present their SECOND GRAND ENTERTAINMENT, at
•	June 3, Luiss Streve, North Ger bk., 299, Rohde, Saigon May 20th, Rice.—Met.	Charman-Hon. R. ROWETT.	PAID UP CAPITAL 800,000 DOLLARS.	the 6th day of June, 1871, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, at 12 o'clock, (unless previously.)	NOTICE.	I I bliance with the requirements of Section	the LUSITANO THEATRE. TO MORROW (TUESDAY) EVENING,
· .	сикия & Co. June 3, Colombo, Brit. bk., 382, Plenge,	E. R. Beliltos, Req. Wm. Lemann, Eq Julius Monke, Esq	Directora	disposed of by private sale),— All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND,	TAT DIRECT S. LEGISLANT ORL TRUE DE 400	an Extraordinary General MEETING of	ON Which occasion an ENTIRE NEW PRO-
•	Saigon May 22nd, 9,000 piculs Rico.—	a Joost, Eaq.	& Co.)	of Bom Jesus or Alta Vista. The Estate con-	ADAMSON, BELL & Co.	held at the registered office of the Company,   situate at Victoria Honokong, on MONDAY,	GRAMME will be presented. MISS NELLIE HOSMER will introduce new and pleasing
•	Malchers & Co. June 3, Minia, Brit etc., 1,345, James H.	Hongkong-James Greig Esq.,	GEO. CRICHTON, Esq., (The Borney Company.)	the best site for building purposes in Macao,	/4\HE. undersigned have this day established	the 12th day of June next, at the hour of three clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of	vocal specialities in character, M.K., JUSEPH ————————————————————————————————————
. •	Martin, Singapore May 19th, Telegraph Cable.—D. CRUIKSHANK.	Acting Chief Manager. Shanghai—David McLean, Esq.	Limited.) Hebmann Melchens, Esq., (Mesers. Melchers	baving ample space for two large Houses, with separate Gardens, Croquet Lawns, Out Houses,	themselves as MERCHANTS and COM-	confirming such special Resolution as may be passed at the Meeting called for that purpose	PROFESSOR SINGER in Operatio and I'm
	June 8, WILD WAVE, Brit. bg., 180; Fisher,	London Bankers London and County Bank.	& Co.) E. A. HITCHCOCK, Esq., (Messre. Olyphant &	I There is B takes supply of our prous sure!	etyle or firm of LINDLAY, WADE & Co.	on the 29th day of May, 1871. Dated the 15th day of May, A.D., 1871.	and Obligatos, in all producing a chasto and
\*	Hobarton April 12th, Goueral.—OR-	INTEREST ALLOWED.	Co.) And Two Chinese merchants to be selected by	First Rate Building Materials now on the	H. T. WADE.	By order of the Board of Directors,	elegant Entertainment "PAR EXCEL- LENCE."
•	June 3, RELGILN, Brit. str., 1,728, Leighton, London and Singapore May 19th, Tele-	On Ourrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.	the native shareholders after the alletment	Plan of the Estate, showing the disposition	NOTICE	28d 854] General Agents.	PRICES OF ADMISSION. \$2.00
	graph Cable.—D. CRUIKSHANK.  June 3, Avondale, Brit. bk., 308, Ogilvie,	On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum.	Bankers	plan of House, &c., are in the hands of Mesers. RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co., Architects, who are	MILLYAM ULARK MASTLACK AUG ILENKY (	VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HUNGKONG, LIMITED.	Parquette 1.00 Boxes 10.00
	Newcastle, N.S.W., April 7th, 460 tons Coals.—D. LAPRAIR & Co.	12 , 5 ,	THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF		day dissolved by mutual doubent and the emur	NOTICE.	For particulars see Programmes. No Post- ponement on account of the weather. Doors
-	June 8, Luzon, Amer. str., 509, Williams,	.Local Bills Discounted. Credits—granted on approved Scourities, and	HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.	TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer,	W, C. EASTLACK, D.D.S. H. H. WINN, D.D.S.	THE Transfer Books of this Company will	open at 8.30, performance to commence at 9 oclock precisely.
	Hobener & Co.	every description of Banking and Exchange unniness transacted.	General Agents - Mesers, OLTEMANT & Co.	and the balance on transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the purchaser.	2m 867 . Hongkong. 8th May. 1871.	bo closed from the 16th to the S0th inst.,	964 Hongkong, 5th June, 1871.  FOR SAIGON.
•	June 8, Moove. Brit. bk., 383, Dewchars. Cardiff 4th December. Coals.—ORDER.	Drafts—granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,	Agents:	J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctionear.	MR. FRANCIS GILMAN is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm.	AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Secretarics,	THE Steamship
	June 5, H.I.C.M. g b. TIEN-PO, de Longue- ville, from Hainan.	America, China and Japan.  JAMES GREIG, Acting Chief Manager.	Canton Messis. H. A. Petessen & Co. Canton OLYPHANT & Co.	888 Hongkong, 28rd May, 1871.	GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, Obina and Japan, 1et May, 1871	Victoria Insurance Company of Hongkong, Limited.	"AZOF," Captain Punchard, will be despatched for the
	June 5, BRUNETTE, Brit. bk., 375, Webb,	Offices of the Corporation,  No. 1. Queen's Boad East.	Chefoo FEEGUSSON & Co. Chinking J. M. CANNY & Co.	TO LET.  / HREE or Four very desirable GODOWNS,	Im 844] — [May 15] NOTICE.	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO.,	above port on WEDNESDAY, the 7th instant,
•	Newcastle, N.S.W., 675 tons Coals.— Aug. Heard & Co.	tf 10621 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1871.	Foochow OLYPHANT & Co. Hakodadi Howell & Co.	on Marine Lot No. 63A, under the Dwelling House occupied by the GREAT NORTHERN	MR. GEORGE S. HARDY is authorized to sign our Firm, per procuration, in Foo-		at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
	Departures.	HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.	Hankow Evans & Rainbow. Hiogo Smith, Baker & Co.	1	chow, from this date.  BIRLEY & Co.	NOTICE.	3d 965 Hongkong, 5th June, 1871.
-	June 8, United Service, str., for Saigon	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	Kinking R. FRANCIS & Co. Manile FINILLY RICHARDSON	For particulars, apply to E. A. HANSEN,	tf 804 Hongkong, 8th May, 1871.	THE Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 17th to 30th instant,	OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO. A RRANGEMENTS having been completed
	June 3. BELTED WILL, for Manila.	TOTICE is hereby given, that the Fourth	Nagasaki Holme, Ringer & Co.	7d 958 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871	TAN THICKER & DOCUMENT AND MAIN.	both days included.  JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.	with the different Mediterranean Steam- ship Companies, we are now prepared to take
	June 3, Turris, for Bangkok. June 3, Connuyra, for Saigon.	Call of Twenty-five dollars per Share, on the Shares in the Capital of the Corporation,	Ningpo J. S. Hudson & Co. Penang SANDILANDS, BUTTERY.	ጥር ፒድሞ	F. PEIL. 2m 746 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871.	tt 950 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871.	cargo at through rates to any of the following Ports
	June 8, Marie Suzanne, for Saigon.	numbered from 20,001 to 40,000, inclusive, is payable on the 1st day of JULY next, at the		THE HOUSE No. 27, Wyndham Street, Gas and Water laid in Apply to	I W. T. T. T. O. W.W. D. T. T. D. T. D. T. T. T. B. C. D. T. C.	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	Marseilles, Barcelons, Genoa: Leghorn, Naples, Trieste, Venice, Brindisi, Ancons, Smyr-
	June 3, Lizzie, for Saigon.  June 3, Lizzie, for Saigon.	Head Office and Branches of the Bank.  Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be charged on the amount of all.	San Francisco, Ww. N. OLMSTED, Esc.	J. A. DE CARVALHO. 1m 951 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871.	VI a partner in our firm from the lat of October, 1869.	HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.	na, Constantinople and Odessa.  For further particulars, apply to
	June 3, Ocie, for Ilcilo.	calls unpaid, and the other provisions of the	SingaporeTHE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. SwatowMesars. DIRCKS & Co.	TO LET.	L. FRICKEL & Co. 1. tf 2002 Hongkong, 21sb October, 1869.	A China and Japan, and at Singapore,	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
	June 4, Craig Ellacuie, for Taiwanfoo. June 4, Venus, str., for Saigon, &c.	30th article of the Deed of Settlement of the Corporation will also be enforced in respect of	TientainJohn Hanna, Esq. Yokohama Mesare. Smire, Archer & Co.	LANGBON DAVIS, Esq., Peddar's Wharf,	NOTICE, NOTICE, NAR. WILLIAM HENRY MOORE and Mr.	Saigon and Penang.	tf 960 Hongkong, 5th June, 1871.  FOR SHANGHAI.
	June 4, Lorelie, for Saigon. June 4, Sampan, for Saigon.	Shares upon which the Calls remain unpaid.  By order of the Court of Directors.	/TIHE Company having been Registered under	consisting of five rooms and two versudahs. The OFFICE, recently occupied by ROBERT	IVI OTTO FEIEDBIOH, have this day been	granted at the rates of Premium current at the above-mentioned Ports.	(Taking cargo at through rates to HANKOW).
. •	June 4, HERMINE, for Saigon.	JAMES GREIG.  Acting Chief, Manager.	the "Companies Ordinance, 1865," and	The OFFICES, recently occupied by C. D.	LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. tf 1258 Hongkong, 30th June, 1870.	JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary	This of the Company o
	June 4, Helen, for Foothow.	11 941 SEGUERODE, 18t June, 1011.	Policics on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates, on and after lat May	WILLIAMS, Esq., with rerandah on the Prays,	/INHE interest and responsibility of Mr	Hongkong, 5th April, 1871. [tf 385]	will have immediate despatch for the above
	Clearances.	VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.	next. In addition to the usual brokerage, Thirty:	GEORGE F. HEARD.	I THEODOR PROBET, in our firm, ceases from this date.	THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.,
."	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, SED JUNE.	r HIS Company, with its Head Office at	three and one third per centum (334 / ) of the	J. B. Endicott, decayed.		NOTICE.	General Agents. tf 961 Hongkong, 5th June, 1871.
1	Craig Ellachie, for Taiwanfoo.  Lorelei, for Saigon.	Treaty Ports in China and Japan, in prepared	nually as a Bonus among Contributing Share.	H 916 Hongrong, 27th May, 10/1.	7th of February, 1871. [6m 257]	The second secon	SALE OF HER MAJESTY'S GUNBOAT "GRASSHOPPER."
r	Sampan, for Saigon.  Jan Peter, for Saigon.	to issue Policies of Insurance, at the current rates of Premium at the respective places.	mia paid by them, OLYPHANT & Co.,	RUSSELL & Co.'s hong, very suitable for	bility therein ceased, on the Slat December,	both days included.	
	Jenny, for Whampon.  Hermine, for Saigon.	AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,  Secretaries.	General Agents.	business purpose. Apply to ROZARIO, MARCAL & Co.	DEETJEN & VON BERGEN.	General Managers,	M. GUNBOAT GRASSHOPPER, at Newchwang, will shortly be sold by Auction, unless disposed of in the meantime
٠.	Helen, for Foochow.	to 557 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.    OHN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO	TAY CONTINUE OF THE PARTY OF TH	or P. A. DA COSTA, Esq., •	Hongkong, 14th April, 1871.  BHALL continue the business bitherto	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited: tf 940 Hongkong, 1st June, 1871.	by private contract.  Further particulars may be obtained by ap-
,	Passengers.	CALIFORNIA. Successor to Rodmond Gibbons & Co.,	THE undermentioned Local Incurance Offices are prepared to issue Policies, govering	And the second s	YON BEEGEN from this day, under my own	THE HONGROMG FIRE RESOURTED	plication to the Commander in Chief's Secre-
بممي	Per Belgiau, str., from London, &c.,— Messrs. Hockin, Lambert, R. London, J. C.	Sold Agents for: Winchester Repeating Arms and Ammunition,	Merchandize by first-class Steamers to London; via Sues Canal, at the following rates of pre-	TO LET	name, as DERTJEN & Co.  Mr. ADOLF STRACK is suthorized to sign-the	REDUCTION IN RATES ON	H.M. Ship Ocean, Nagasaki. By order,
	Hoskins, J. Churchill, Bacon, Jarmann, Whit-	Superior and Pacific Fuse Company's Eagle	mium.	HOUSE, in Seymour Road. Apply to	firm, per procuration, EDUARD DEETJEN.	N and after the 15th instant, the minimum	F. H. SHORTT, Commodore.
	ton, Carter, Fish, Bloomfield, Long, Gibson, Orwin, Oxlade, Campbell, Cross, O. Smith,	HONGKONG STEAM BAKERY,	From Canton Tes, 22 1 14 1	G. FALCONER & Co. tf 828 'Hongkong, 11th May, 1871.	3m 642 Hongkong, 15th April, 1871.  [13HE Undersigned having this day entered]	Ohinese Premises in this Colony will be reduced	6d 962 2nd June, 1871.  M. V.1 S.E. & C.O.,
	Lucas, F. Churchill and Hibbert.	Office Opposite the Oriental Bank.	" Hongkong Schandize, 21.7 12.7.	TO LET.	into partnership as Merchants and Com- mission Agents, will conduct their business	to Two per cent, per annum.	92. QUEEN'S ROAD,  TAS received a large Assortment of JA-
	The British bark Colombo reports left Capa	MESSRS. D. NOWROJEE & Co., established in the year 1858, beg to inform their	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	in Chancery Lane, (at present in the occupation of W. H. BEERETON, Esq.), contain-	under the name and style of NORTON,	General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited.	PANESE CURIOS and JAPANESE WARE.
	St. James on May 22nd, bad light Easterly winds and showery weather throughout the	Customers and the public generally, that they have just set up a Steam Bakery in the pro-		and Coach House. Possession can be bad on	EDWARD NORTON: ROBERT LYALL.	tf 1997 Hongkong, 14th November, 1870. CHINA & JAPAN MARINE INSURANCE	EUROPEAN GOODS. 1m 963 Hongkong, 5th June, 1871.
	√oyage	mises, which has enabled them to reduce their rates, without interfering with the well known		G. FALCONER & Co.	ti 1 Hongkong, 1st January, 1871.	COMPANY.	"Japan Mail" and "Japan Weekly Mail."
•	The British bark Brunette reports passed West of New Caledonia, and the Caroline		J. KENNARD DAVIS,  Agent, North China Insurance Company.	HOUSES TO LET.	THE interest and responsibility of Mr. Ed- ward Petrit in our Firm ceased on the		L appointed agents for the two above-
	May 9nd since then light sirs. Variable winds	and Biscuits of the best quality at following, reduced rates:— Square, Twist, Cottage, and	RUSSELL & Co.	I N. various Parts of Hongkong. A list of HOUSES with size, locality and terms can	Mr. ALPRED HUTCHISON was admitted a	buted to the above Company for the year end- ing 31st December, 1870. Warrants may be	named newspapers, are prepared to receive Advertisements and Subscriptions for the same.
-	and many calms, sighted Babuyan Claro May 28th, since then ditto weather.	French loaves	Agents, Yanglese Insurance Association of Shanghas.	be seen at No. 47, Wyndham Street. THOS. W. BARRINGTON.	Partner therein on the 1st January.  DEACON-& Co.	had on application at the Office of the Undersigned.	Terms of Subscription, payable in advance:  Japan Mail, \$15 per annum; Japan Wookly
	The British bark Wild Wave reports sighted Norfolk Island on April 22nd, and came up	6 lbs, tins	AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	TO LET,	tf.397 Uanton, 1st March., 1871. NOTICE.	Pollinger Street, WM. PUSTAU & Co.,	Mail, \$24 per annum: tf 122 Hongkong, 19th January, 1871.
	East of New Caledonia; crossed the Equator in long, 163 E. May 4th, had light N.E. trades;	Ducter and Sweep Property	General Agente, China Traders Insurance Company, Limited.	THAT very desirable RESIDENCE, Glant	JAMES TAIT in our firm ceased from	tf 899 Hongkong, 25th May, 1871.	A. MILLAR & CO., LIOUSE, SHIP. AND STEAMBOAT
	passed Oulan on the 6th, and through the Marian Islands between the 15th, 16th, 17th	NOTICE TO SHIPMASTERS.	WM. PUSTAU & Co.	the Hon. J. PAUNCEFOTE.	Slat January last: TAIT & Co.	NOTIOE.	PLUMBERS. COPPERSMITHS & BRASSFOUNDERS.
	18th, and had communication with Guam and Tinian; made Balingtang and Babuyan on the	I APTAINS are invited to inspect the new		For particulars, apply to  ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  tf 434 Hongkong, 10th March, 1871.	1m 838 Amoy, 27th April, 1871.	ESTATE OF DR. H. C. STEWART,  Deceased.	No. 1. Queen's Road East and Nullah Lanc, Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yord.
	30th May, and had light thick dirty weather across the sea.	Oabin and Ship BISCUITS, at the lowest rates. D. NOWROJEE & Co.	OLYPHANT'& Co.,	TO LET.	HAVE this day established myself at this Port as WATOHMAKER & GENERAL	A LL persons having Claims against, or in-	tf 387 Hongkong, 1st March, 1871. SAIL MAKING.
	The British bark Mogul reports left Cardif	tf 1431. Hongkong, 2nd August, 1870.  NOTIFICATION.	General Agents, Chinese Insurance Company, Limited.	PREMISES and RESIDENCE, former-	ERNEST LEMATTRE.	debted to, the above Estate, are requested to communicate with the undersigned.	W Hongkong, has resumed his business of
	Dec. 4th; crossed the Equator Jan. 12th, in long. 25 W.: passed the Hope Feb. 19th, in lat	NITICALIANO LIGHTSHIP	ef 872 Hongkong, 18th May, 1871.	ly occupied by Messrs. MELCHEES & Co., situated at the junction of Graham and Wel-	NOTICE.	WM. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Sedmen's Hospital, Hongkong,	SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patron-
,	39 B.; made St. Paul March 10th; Java Houd April 4th; passed Anjer April 23rd; left Gas	TOPICE is becalve given that a temporary	CHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COM-	lington Streets. Gas and Water laid on. Possession may be	THE POWER TAXAM: ARROTT THRNBILL	One of the Executors. tf 595 Hongkong, 8th April, 1871.	age of the Public.  He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10
	par April 30th, had light Easterly winds up the China Ses : 178 days out. April 3rd, lat	Lightship, painted black, with three	MANDERS are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS at the above	T. G. LINSTEAD.	date. BIRLEY, WORTHINGTON & Co.	HAWKINS'S HORSE REPOSITARY,  Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.	ounce RAVINS DUCK, suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings.
	9 N., long. 104.29 E., spoke the British ship Naville, Hongkong to Sydney, N.S.W., 7 dasy	the Bar at Ninchwang as early as possible, not	Port afford every facility, at moderate charges	TO BE LET.	tí 829 Shanghai, 1st May, 1871.	Horses BROKEN to Harness.	LIOR investment on Mortgage of good landed
	out.	ing bearings. Tower Hill S.S.E. distant, 161 miles, and the	REPAIRING AND SPARRING VESSELS	THE commodious Offices and Godowns formerly in the occupation of Mesers.	14	HORSES, PONIES, HARNESS and CAR- RIAGES, always on hand for Sale.	Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD, Esq.
	Auction Sales To-day.	outer Bar Buoy N.E. by E. E. 4 miles.  The vessel will be distinguished, from sunset	CLEANING AND PAINTING IRON SHIPS AND STEAMERS.	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., situated on Marine Lot 11, and fronting the Praya. Possession		HORSES and CARRIAGES for Hire.	tf 471 Hongkong, 18th March, 1871.
	None.	to sunrise, by two bright lights one above the other, at the starboard fore yard arm, shewn	THEIR LARGE GRANITE DOCK	For particulars of rent, &c. Apply to	Frequired by shippers at time of making Freight engagements, Certificates of In-	PONIES do. do. do.	Notices to Consignees.
· · ·	THE RENDITION CASE	about 3 miles in clear weather.	Has 286 feet length on the blocks, and at average spring tides can receive Vessels of 16 to		surance against Tea or Silk may be obtained from the Undersigned, on first-class English	principles, under his own superintendence.	BRITISH SHIP WILLIAM RITSON, FROM
	COPIES of CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALE		17 feet draught. It has a CAISSON GATE, AND POWERFUL CENTRIFUGAL	TO LET.  FINE HOUSE, No. 5, West Terrace. Posses-	Companies, to the amount agreed upon at following rates, by any steamers of the above Com-	Late Farrier Major of Bengal Horse Artillery),  Proprietor.	LONDON.  CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named
	TWO JUDGMENTS  IN THE	Custom House, Ninchuang, 18th April, 1871: [1m 778]	The state of the s	sion from 1st March, 1871. Apply to	H'kong to London, on Tea with average, 45/s.  Canton do per cent., f. of a. 35/s.	# 559 Hongkong, 18th April, 1871.	Wesselare hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of
	MATTER OF KWOK-A-SING, Can be obtained at the Office of this Paper		Foundries, Boiler-makers shop, a large Smithy and Carpenters and Boat builders shots. Al	East Point,	Macao do. on Silk with average, 27/6	(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO	their Goods: Cargo impeding the discharge will be at
	Price	A LL Persons having claims against the above estate are requested to send them	superintended by resident Europeans.	Part of the second of the seco	Subject to a discount of 15 per cent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,	KINSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY LONDON, AND 28, PLACE	once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
	NOTICE TO MARINERS.	in on or before the 1st day of October, 1871, to the undersigned.	Their two smaller: GRANITE DOCKS can receive at spring tides. Vessels drawing 12 feet	TIRST-CLASS Granite GODOWNS, at Wanchai, from 12 to 30,000 piculs capa-		TINGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 958 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 958 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE following Bales of Cotton have been . I landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ez "Donnai,"

EF (in diamond), 32 Bales Cotton from Madras to Order. C. BERTRAND,

Principal Agent. tf 954 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871.

P. & O. STR. AUSTRALIA, FROM-

BOMBAY. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above steamer

" are requested to send in their Bills of N.B.-CHAIR-HIBE from any part of the City Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed and stored THE undersigned beg to imform the Public TO BE LET, or SOLD by PRIVATE CONthat they are prepared to supply Steamers
with good AUSTRALIAN COAL, at \$10 per the occupation of the Supreme Court, Queen's at consignees' risk and expense. A. McIVER, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co., Hongkong, 1st June, 1871. BRITISH SHIP CHINAMAN, FROM

LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and ex-

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

7d 927 Hongkong, 30th May, 1871. S. S. CANTON, FROM LONDON, PENANC UNDER authority of The Managing Diroc. D. depot with good Steam COALS, at \$8.50 AND SINGAPORE.

tors, Mr. Alexander MacIver will set per ton, free alongaide the vessel.

CONSIGNEES of goods by CONSIGNEES of goods by the above O Steamer are hereby notified that the

cargo is being discharged, landed and stored, at their risk, into the godowns of Messrs. J. S. HOOK, Son & Co., whence delivery may be obtained. Goods remaining in store after the 3rd June prox., will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Shanghai, unless early intimation is received from Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to -

SIEMSSEN & Co. tf 924 Hongkong, 29th May, 1871.

contracted by the late proprietors of the above. GLOVER & Co. Agent in Hongkong 🧢 NORTON, LYALL & Co. tf 1951 Naganaki, Japan, October, 1870;

receive, at spring tides, Vessels drawing 12 feets

Spars, Timber, and other Dock-yard material

Quarters for Officers, and a DRY GODOWE

FOOOHOW/ DOOK.

RIVER MIN.

THE above granite floored DOOK, of the

1 following Dimensions, viz : Longth, 300

Withworth's 12-inch Schow Cotting

Detiling and Horewing Machines, ..

A LARGE SMITHT, &c., &c., &c.,

STOWAGE OF CARGO, &c., &c.: A large

Stock of Woods, Metal, &c., &c., always on hand.

all times to tow vessels to or from Bes, at our-

The list of Charges for lighting or remetals

Measra Norton, Lyall & Co., Hongkong.

TAKASIMA COLLIERY.

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> B. E. BURROWS & SONS. tt 1790 Hongkong, 17th September, 1869. FITHREE first class two story GODOWNS aituate on Inland lot. No. 73, opposite Fletcher & Co.'s old premises, at present in occupation of the Military. Possession can be had early in February.

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tr 1681

[tl 484 ESTATE OF T. G. DONALDSON, Deceased. Hongkong, 20th March, 1871.

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tf 884 " Hongkong, 22nd May, 1871.

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# The Paily Press

Honorong, June 5th, 1871.

A-MAN, the notorious criminal, who has was sentenced on Saturday to fourteen years hand. penal servitude and three floggings. This man, there appears no doubt, has been exercising, over the unlucky natives, a terrorism | Eureka Variety Troupe on Saturday evening | penal servitude for ten years. which it is difficult to comprehend in the present day, but which is unfortunately too kong, sang and acted with much talent, and this Legation, who also verified the bodies of THE TREATY OF HOOMUNCHAI (THE BOGUE.) common in China. Not long ago, it will be received hearty applance. Her versatility was the two criminals condemned to death, im whatever form pricable relations would prove to be should, supersede the snares of treaties, the recollected he was charged with a murder which was committed some three years ago, comedianne in the concluding piece, in which morning in the annexed Proclamation of the Ireland, and His Majesty the Emperor of Chi see fit, to prohibit the ship from which the Americans, and there is every appearance instead of to the barbarous arbitrament of war. and which was discovered in a very peculiar she acted with Mr. Small. The latter is a Supreme Government, which was at once posted in a very peculiar she acted with Mr. Small. The latter is a Supreme Government, which was at once posted in a very peculiar she acted with Mr. Small. The latter is a Supreme Government, which was at once posted in a very peculiar she concluded from trading, and signed on smuggled goods were landed from trading, and signed on smuggled goods were landed from trading, and signed on smuggled goods were landed from trading. his mother's face; but such was the fear in which he was held that the affair was husbed thing that has recently been seen in Hongkong. up and the dead man buried. A few months The piece was performed by Mr. and Mrs. Bonnee back, however, he was apprehended on last year, and it is no small praise to say that the another charge, and then for the first time the woman whose son had been thus artists mentioned. Mr. Rhoades plays the banjo barbarously murdered, had the courage to uncommonly well, and sings some amusing come forward and give testimony. Il pon niegor songs. Mr. Singer, the pinnet, plays sons wounded some Englishmen in Nabecho in kwang and whereas in the said treaty it was full and perfect liberty to do so, paying the the statements which she made, the body of sides which he possesses a baritone voice of and having been arrested they have been ports of Canton, Foothow-foo, Amoy, Ningpo, port clearance from the Chinese custom-house her late son was exhumed, and it was excellent quality, and sings with very good punished in the manner shown in the annexed and Shanghai should be thrown open for the lat one of the said ports. Should natives of discovered that there was a bullet flattened taste and skill. His performance on the har- documents. against one of his back bones. The subject being very sweet in tone, and capable of all the of the highest moment, and his Majesty has and import duties and other dues should be to do so, and should they require a Chinese Rejected Addresses; but that is a clumsy line handsome may infuse into your mind. But it was then brought forward before the Coroner, refinements of gradation. There is no doubt therefore issued repeated proglamations on catablished at such ports; and whereas various vessel to carry away their purchases, they must and the story which the woman gave, was simple and consistent, and the manner in which, as she described how her son was shot, was consonant with the place in which the bullet was found in the skeleton of the deceased. The Coroner's Jury found a verdict of wilful murder against LEE-A-MAN, and he was brought up before the Magistrate to be examined. For a short with efficient stuffs, on behalf of the China Sultime the evidence was given satisfactorily. but it will hardly be believed that the pri- communication with Singapore and the other | Emperor Tau-kwang, in the district of Ho-fei, soner had the temerity actually to threaten parts of the telegraphic world as far as San profecture of Liu-chow, province of Ngug-hway. the witnesses in Court, and that such was their dread of him, that after his threat, it was impossible to elicit from them the very evidence they had before given at the Inquest. were paid out. The end and staff were became a member of the Han-lin College in the

As respects the first charge upon which he has been convicted, there can be very little question that the Jury were fully justified by the facts deposed to in the verdict they arrived at. It was shown that the prisoner had plundered it, and carried away the proprietor's wife, whom two of the ruffians took final operations were conducted on board to sell her. The CHIEF-JUSTICE made a not call upon the neighbours to assist her; perfectly true; and it is also the case that clan does not altogether explain the nature of the combinations, that exist among the Chinese, 1567 knots, actual distance 1483. and is the secret of the great difficulty in governing them. These associations would. be more appropriately designated brother- instruments had to be transferred from one ship hoods, and vary from all degrees of simple to another no less than six times, but, notwithco-operative Societies to gang combinations among the worst ruffians. The heads of such | when it was necessary to out and buog the cable bands exercise a terrorism similar to that | in 7 O fathoms of water, the vessels would have which LEE-A-MAN put so long into successful arrived within an hour or two, of the time expractice, and they form the most dangerous hours, thus maintaining the high character for element among the criminal population with | punctuality with which the Telegraph Construc which we have to deal. It is for this reason that we have long advocated the desirability the British Indian Cable from Bombay to Aden of the co-operation of competent Europeans in a Detective Service in Hongkong, and have repeatedly pointed out the futility of Extension cable, from Singapore to Penang placing reliance exclusively upon district and Mudras, the Batavian section of the Briwatchmen, private runners, or any other exclusively native source. Such men may at moment they are exclusively relied upon as Detectives they are certain to be intimidated operations, have played an important part. per lb. over London values; Chop 8 Tsatlees of merchants. against giving information, if they are not heavily bribed to withhold it. The respectable Chinese, much as they lament this state | that this success is mainly due to Captain | a 28/9 per lb.) common Karshing Taysaams of affairs, will never have the courage to show | Sherard Osborne, so well known in these parts, Tls. 420 a 410 per picul (22/6 a 23/6 per 1b.) it up; and thus the more dangerous and daring a criminal is, the greater will be his vast undertakings which this company, bus were the prices correct for the first English that should the Emperor bereafter, from any ports having none of this kind of intercourse, Minister's duty to sanction by acknowledgment shareholders had no reason to be dissatisfied; chance of getting off with impunity.

his presence for at least many years to come.

It'is to be hoped that some steps will be taken to reinstitute the system of deportation which has been suspended, in consequence of the means both of furthering commerce and ceded in an irregular manner, the decline British subjects; but it is to be understood, the Home Government disallowing Ordinance number 7 of 1870. Such men as LEE-A-MAN are the characters against whom such a provision is absolutely necessary; and unless there are some means of getting them out of the Colony, and promptly identifying them should they return, it must be a matter of impossibility to maintain order. Such a mode of proceeding would of course not be justifiable in dealing with criminals in any ordinary place; but where, as is the case in China, the conditions of Society are such that the very fact of a man being notorious as a criminal, gives him the greater facilities. for persevering in his career, it is quite justifiable, because absolutely necessary, to take steps which will rid the Colony entirely of the more desperate villains.

In connection with the direct telegraphic morning a catalogue was complete. sommunication now established between Hong. kong and Europe, it may be interesting to note that the ordinary time which is required to transmit a message to London or the Continent coincides with the difference of time by longitude, that is to say, it takes about eight hours on an average to forward the news. Thus, if a message be sept from Hongkong during the business hours here to London, it will arrive a reply at the earliest hour next morning.

the Lieut Governor has been pleased to re- portion of the sentence, but his Lordship asked | 30/6 per lb. for hest thirds Tautlee, 26/0 per lb. mor is she to be considered liable to any port II.M. Government.

H.I.C.M. gunbont Tienpo, Commander de Longueville, arrived vesterday morning from 959 Hainun, with a three-musted junk in tow. having on board 17 pirates, together with a cumptity of proporty stolen from junks laden by various honge in Hongkong. The junk is reported as very swift, and was fitted out for the return yorage as a pig trading vessel.

· Advices from Foochow to the 30th -ultimo state that the new tens have been coming in more freely during the last few days, the total arrivals being 31,300 chests Congon and 7,250 half chests Colong. The appearance of the Teas is reported superior to any which have Ir is a subject of congratulation that LEE- been seen for some years, and the infused leaf exhibits less intermixture of black leaves. the same time, it is considered premature to for years been the dread of the Chinese give a positive opinion; on the quality of the residents on the Kowloong side, has at crop, at this can only be done by an examinalast in ome degree met his deserts. He tion and collation of Teas from all the districts: and the fire is still too strong on the samples to

> mer, who was already well known in Hong- in the presence of the Japanese Secretary of special interest at the present time. very well shown in three or four character mediately after their execution. remarkably "eccentric comedian," as the pro- in various public places at Yedo, and will be bourd Her said Majesty's ship Cornwallis on ther, and to send her away as soon as her acwhich he may happen to appear. His acting | usually notified. present performers compare in that particular comedy by no means unfavourably with the monicon was much appreciated, the instrument

THE CHINA SUBMARINE CABLE.

We have received information that the final splice of the China Submarine Cable was made yesterday afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock, under the supervision of Mesers. London and Laws marine Cable Co., thus placing Hongkong in born in the year Jen-woo, or 2nd year of the Francisco. The vessels employed in the Erpedition were the Agnes, Capt. Worsley, from which the shore end was landed at Singapore Chang, after taking the different degrees in the and 15 knots or nautical miles of heavy Cable competitive government examinations, at last satisfactory to find that the prisoner has not Leighton; when 954 knots were laid. The this went home, and in course of time the escaped justice, and that the unfortunate staff then returned to the Agnes, and the end local militis, and put himself with his force at inhabitants of Kowloong will be relieved of being passed to that vessel, she paid out 96 the disposal of the Governor General of the knote : and, having completed her part of the Liang. Kiang. .. This officer baying been rework, she returned to Singapore to take up moved, hi joined Tseng kwo-fan, under whom her station as maintenance vessel for the British Indian and China extension cables Army in Chekinng. In the first year of the The staff with the end being once more transferred; to the Minia, Captain Martin, 114 knots. were paid out, when the services of the Belgian. to clear this province of rebels, though the aid been one of a party who entered a house, Capt. Leighton, were brought into requisition, and the remaining portion of her section consisting of 400 knots was paid out. The

from place to place endeavouring if possible the Minia, Captain Martin, to which the was passed from the Belgian. About 100 knots being paid out, the cable was cut and pertinent remark upon the fact that during the end buoyed about 43 miles from Hongkong, her captivity, the unfortunate woman did the Belgian remaining outside to keep watch over the buoy. The Minia then stenmed in for Taibut submitted for a long time to her fate.

The first about 6.30 p.m. on Friday.

Arrangefin as Governor-General of the two Kiang, and

The major time to her fate.

The find as Governor-General of the two Kiang, and the shore the nature of their cargoes; and a copy time moment to the officers and not to the advidend.

The Chairman said he bad a painful duty to influence of their clans, give up all idea of the buoy and make the final splice before dark. looking for protection. This no doubt is Notwithstanding the thick, onfavourable weather, this operation was finished by 4.30 p.m. the two ends having been previously tested there is nothing which terrifies them so much and the electrical condition of the cable found as the hostility of other clans. The word satisfactory thus completing the communication with Singapore, India, Europe and America, the total length of cable laid being

> This work has been carried out in the most efficient unduer, and reflects the highest credit on all concerned. The whole of the staff and standing this, had it not been for some bad weather which was experienced off the Paracels. pected." As it was, they only exceeded it by 2 tion Company carry out their contracts.

This Company, since March, 1870, have la and Suez; the Falmouth, Lisbon, Gibraltar and Malta cable, connecting those places; the Marseilles and Algiers cable; the British Indian tish Australian cable from Batavia to Singapore. of which the remaining section to Port In most of these enterprises Mesers. London prices to open at unprecedently high range, This is an unprecedented amount of work to were taken at Tis 625 (33/4), flag No. 31 get through in so short a space of time; and it (Tsuctioong) at Tls. 580 per pioni (31/0) 44 to

POLICE INTELLIGENCE. BEFORE C. MAY, Esq.

promoting amicable relations between China

Chang Asam, an old offender, who had served out a sentence of two years for larceny, and was released from gaol ten days ago, was brught up on enspicion by Indian Police Constable No. 90, but defendant was found upon orquiry to have entered upon an honest calling.

one of accidental collision between two Chinese, which led to a quarrel and abusive land willing to sell at a decline of 2/6 a cause, or on any pretence, desert, fly, or escape The French Atlautic cable was disturbed at factious, inconsiderate, or untutored minds may

SUPREME COURT. CEIMINAL SESSIONS.

The Gazette of Saturday notifies that H.E. | gings, and prayed the Court to reconsider that | month a fair amount of Silk was settled, at | are to offer no hindrance to such relieving ship, |

IN PROBLEM.

THE ATTACK IN YEDO ON MESSES. DALLAS AND RING.

respecting the recent attack on Mesers. Dullas and Ring:

The undersigned hereby informs Her Britaunic Majesty's subjects in Japan that in the case of the murderous assault committed on. Mesers: Dallas and Ring in the Main Street of Yedo on the night of the 13th of January last, two Japanese of the military class, severally named Higo Sobiehi and Koto Rinkichi, have been convicted | an attempt to murder, and have been sentenced, first to degradation to the common rank, and then to death by strangulation. A third m of the same class has been

HARRY-S. PARKES. ter Plenipotentiary in Japan.

prevent the occurrence of such offences. 3rd Mosth.

LI-HUNG-OHANG.

Li-Hung-Chung is the second of five brothers His father was a literary man, but not in very good circumstances; he, however, managed give his sons a good education. La-Hung-

he gradually advanced to the rank of a Taoutai and commander of a division of Tseng's Grand Emperor Tang-chi, about 1861, he was recommended by Tseng-kwo-fan as acting Footsi of of the Ever Victorious Army under Col. Gordon. On the fall of Soochow he ordered all standing that he had guaranteed their lives previous to the surrender. The Government at Peking having approved of this bloody deed, confirmed him in his office; the Emperor, besides, bestowed upon him the Yellow Jacket and the title of Tai-tie-Shaou-naou, or Earl: he also received the double-eyed peacock

Tueng-kwo-fan and be changed places i October 1866, when he went against the Nienfois, and cleared the north from these troubles, He was appointed Governor General of the Liang Hoo, in 1867, and from there went against the Mahommedan rebels in the west of the Empire. After the Mussacre of Tientsin he was succeeded by his elder brother Li-Han-Chang, as Governor General of the Liang Hoo, and went to Chihlias Governor General, where he is now. Li-Hung-Chang is now about 49 years of age, and is a man of nearly six feet, with a fine white complexion, a black monstache, and altogether of pleasing appearance. He is very inquisitive and active, and fond of studying foreigh sciences. In common converention he is jocular and more liberal in some of his opinions than most Chinese officials. In his administration he is known to be just and according to Chinese ideas a man who follows the maxim live and let live. Foreigners who have seen him in private say that he is an affectionate father, and that it is nothing new to see H.E., when not engaged officially, carry-

> THE PAST SILK SEASON. (N. C. Herald.)

ing about his little ones. - Courier.

The Season just past was opened during the first week in June, when about 1,000 bls. of completed; among which the establishment of and French mails in June; after their deparextreme East and the West will probably in Exchange, and also to the large arrivals such foreign countries, the same privileges and regards them. prove one of the most important; and will be (estimated at fully 11,000 bales), prices revarying from Tle. 20 a 40 per picul; at which | that demands or requests are not on this plea to reduction considerable barter and joint-account transactions took place. The month's business amounted to fully 10,000 bla and the arrivals committed crimes or offences against their own of which were for account of a speculative na. centment or refuge be afforded.

The Chief-Instice sat at 11 a.m. on Sator- unbegreently, owing partly to reports that total discipline amongst the crews of merchantship of the coast, and that the same auroral dis- their prejudice; but in appropriate cases we muce, as no gentlemen of position could be day for the purpose of sentencing Lee A man, supplies would be barely 85,000 bls., a fur ping, and to supplies would be barely 85,000 bls., a fur ping, and to supplies would not forget the part of the wise physician, found to give their time for less. He aligned, the Kowloon prisoner, convicted of highway demand eprang up, chiefly for common Tastlees the consult over British subjects. The drews of langles to each other in different who abstains from discussing with his patient to the appointment of Mr. Cassells, late of rubbery being armed, and of burglary and ab- and re-reels classes, and purchases were made such ship of war will be carefully restrained by parts of Britain as a distance of the content of the content of the carefully restrained by parts of Britain as a distance of the content of the content of the carefully restrained by parts of Britain and the content of the co during business hours there, and a reply sent duction. For the former offence he was sen- on a basis of 26/6 for good 4 Tenties and 26/0 the officer commanding the research and they will be a fine of Siemssen and Co., China, who had qualtenced to 11 years' penal servitude, with three for Red Pencock." Arrivals were coming for. be subject to all the rules regarding going on the floggings during the first six months. For the ward only sparingly, and unable stock was respected to barrely 8,500 big. During the latter are already hid down for the crews of merchant control and another gentleman conpenal servitude as in the other case, and con- part of this month the Silk chartet was very vessels. Whenever it may be necessary to re- postponed until the Silk chartet was very vessels. Whenever it may be necessary to remessages specially early in the day to ensure | he had been tried on two, and he was convicted on prospects of an early peace looked promising, of an additional ship should excite misgivings | tering of the troops and the naveiling of the of isolation." two. The prisoner objected strongly to the flog- trade was respined, and towards the end of the amongst the people, and the Chinese cruizers statue will now take place on one day.

be unnecessarily brought forward.

9th .- "If lawless natives of Chine, having

per 1b. for extra and 29/0 to 30/0 per 1b. for of war never trade in any shape.

to foreign trade, but unfortunately were unyou are reported to have said, "Recent events
fair market Mybush Hainings, and 29/0 to 29/6 | 11th.—"The posts of Chusan and Koolungsuccessful, and with, we believe, the same in Europe should teach us to rely—not on Mr. Francis applied for probate of the will per lb. for Testleo kinds. About 2,000 bls. soo will be withdrawn, as provided for in the Object in view, the American expedition under treaties, for they were often ecattered to the of Ho-taun-chin, late Minister of the London were settled in Documber, at gradually ad treaty of perpetual peace and friendship, the Admiral Rogers will, after the 15th ultime, winds; not on alliances, for they were occa-Missionery Society, to be granted to the widow vancing prices; 31/0 to \$1/6 per 15. being paid moment all the moneys stipulated for in that proceed to the same place, when they will sionally faithless in times of trouble; not on and sole executrix. His Lordship said he knew for best chop 3 Teatler. The total settlements treatment also enquire into the treatment received by the word of statesmen, for Secret Treaties were the deceased to have been a very respectable were then 27,000 bis against 31,900 bis previous tiary distinctly and voluntarily agrees that all the crew of the American schooner General produced which shock the confidence of every year. In January some 2,500 bla. found pur dwelling houses, store-houses, barracks, and Bherman at the bands of the Coreans, which honest politician but upon ourselves; and he chasers, and the total exports then was fully 7,000 other buildings that the British troops or people. was wrecked upon that coast in the year 1867; believed that in all essential points England the less than previous senson. During Fe- may have occupied or intermediately built or The vessels comprising the fleet will be was as strong as ever. Knowing that this was bruary the market was quieter, and settlements repaired, shall be banded over on the evacua- the Colorado (flag-ship), Alaska, Benicia, Mo. a serious moment in the history of Europe, it reached only 1,700 lbs., taken at slightly tion of the posts exactly as they stand, to nocacy, and Palos; the Alaska and Benicia was time that we should take measure of our The following notification has been issued enhanced rates. Prices advanced during the the Chinese authorities, so as to prevent any have already arrived here, and the others selves; that we should know what we could early part of March, chop 3 Teatlee routhing pretence for delay, or the slightest occasion for make their appearance at any moment. do, and that we would, if we were called on, 82/0 per Ib., and "Red Peacock" 27/11 per Ib. discussion or dispute on those points.

other Silks on offer being undesirable. Barely English and Chinese merchants—in many cases and that the latter will find that power and intended to signify your opinion, as a Cabinet shot will be foremost in their attaining their Minister, that the first are letters for the most trimanctions did not reach 800 lbs., which give Ohinese custom-house officers-will entirely desired end, for the Coreans will no doubt part, and as fetters to be avoided, and that the a total of 33,770 bla, showing a decrease of ocase; and the most peremptory proclamation assume a boatile attitude, imagining that latter, natural descendants of the most immoto all English merchants has been already is should they do so they will be as successful ral and costly compacts that have ever oursed. sued on this subject by the British plenipo- as they were against the French. tentiary, who will also instruct the different. The force under Admiral Rogers, though secure in her geographical isolation and so The N. C. Daily News opportunely reprints consuls to strictly watch over and carefully infinitely superior to that under Admiral lefty in her policies, unnecessary and danger. convicted of bein accessory to the above crime, the Bogus Trenty, which though now abrogat, scrutinize the conduct of all persons being Rose, we much fear will prove to be insufficiently one—then you have my most cordial approval The opening entertainment given by the and has been sentenced to degradation and to ed, is still of interest as showing the spirit of British subjects, trading under his superin- clently powerful, should their autogonists ex- and sessont. But I must confess that when you many of the provisions in subsequent Treat tendence. In any positive instance of smag bibit any great defince, as it is most probable would have the popular distrust extend to the went off very successfully. Miss Nellie Hos- These sentences were delivered this morning ties. We reproduce the text as likely to be of gling transactions coming to the consul's know- they will. ledge, he will instantly apprize the Chinese To attempt to treat them in a conciliatory you call discredit upon the only agency which nuthorities of the fact, and they will proceed manner, or to endeavour to negotiate and can, and I will even venture to say which friendship between Her Majesty the Queen of their value or nature—that may have been so utterly futile. songs which the sang, and her power as a The sentences have been made known this the United Kingdom of Great Britain and smuggled; and will also be at liberty if they

manner. He had, it appeared, entered a house gramme calls him, and with all his eccentric published throughout the Empire in the manat night, and had shot a man down before city he never loses sight of the character in which the decrees of Government officers will at the same time adopt

the character is the manat night, and had shot a man down before city he never loses sight of the character in which the decrees of Government officers will at the same time adopt

the character is the manby what afterwards fell from your lips. I referthe 7th month of the 22nd year, of Taouk- whatever measures they may think fit, with so speedily to open to the civilized world so to what you are reported to have said, in the wang, of which said treaty of perpetual peace regard to the Chinese morehants and custom, rich and fertile a land, that every effort will passage I have quoted, about it being time to H.B.M.'s Envoy Extraordinary and Minis and friendship the ratifications under the re- house officers who may be discovered to be con- be brought into requisition, and every nerve take measure of ourselves; that we should spective seals and signs manual of the Queen corned in smuggling. China were duly exchanged at Hong Kong. China or otherwise, who may wish to convey of liberty and commerce. on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1843, corres. goods from one of the five ports of Canton,

ponding with the Chinese date the 26th day Fuhchoo fu, Amoy, Ningpo, and Shanghai, to On the night of January 13th, certain per- of the fifth month, in the 23rd year of Taon. Hongkong, for sale or consumption, shall be at with a good touch and very fair execution, be- Kanda. Wigilant search was made for them, provided (amongst other things) that the five duties on such goods, and obtaining a past or resort and residence of British merchants. China wish to repair to Hongkong to purchase Intercourse with foreign nations is a matter and that a fair and regular tariff of export goods, they shall have free and full permission the matter on the footing as the two Smith's you whatever pleasure a compliment so very that this Company, taken individually, is one the subject. That such act should be com- other matters of detail connected with, and obtain a pass or port elegrance for her at the of the strongest that Hongkong has seen for mitted in spite of them not only involves the bearing relation to the said treaty of perper customs house of the port whence the vessel credit of the Government, but is a disgrace toal peace and friendship, have been since may sail for Hongkong. It is further settled which the mutual discussion and consideration | that in all cases these passes are to be returned Every measure must be taken throughout of the Plenipotentiary; and accredited. Com: to the officers of the Chinese government as the jurisdiction of the Fu, Han, and Ken, to missioners of the high contracting parties, soon as the trip from which they may be far as we know, authoritatively :and the said tariff and details having been now [granted shall be completed.

upon; it has been determined to arrange and at Hongkong, one part of whose duty will be record them in the form of a supplementary to examine the registers and passes of all Chitreaty of (seventeen) Articles, which articles | nese vessels that may repair to that port to shall be held to be as binding and of the same buy or sell goods, and should such officer at the original treaty of perpetual peace and sel has not a pass or register from one of the let .... The tariff of export and import duties thorised or smugglin- vessel; and is not to be which is hereunto attached under the seals allowed to trade, what a report of direcumand signatures of the respective plenipoten- stances is to be made to the Chines conthori-

2nd.—"The general regulations of trade be the duty of the Chinese authorities, on ap-4th. After the five ports of Canton, Foo- plication, by and in concert with the British chow. Amov. Ningpo, and Shanghai, shall be consuls, to do their utmost to see justice done lowed to trade, only at those five ports. Nei- should a British merchant incur debta at any ther shall they repair to any other ports or of the five ports and fly to Hongkong, the places, nor will the Chinese people at any other British authorities will, on receiving an application to the same purport to be issued by the claims, and when established, oblige the de-British pleninotentiary, repair to any other faulter or debtor to settle their to the utmost ports of places, the Chinese government, offic of his means.

both vessels and cargoes; and should Uninese officers at the five ports, shall make a monthly 5th.—"The fourth clause of the general re- and communicated once a month to the proper gulations of trade on the subject of commer- | English officer at Hong Kong. The said Engial dealings and debte between English and Illah officer will on his part make similar return ! Chinese ingrehants, is to be clearly understood for communication to the Chinese authorities at Canton, showing the names of Chinese vessels 6th - It is agreed that English merchants arrived at Hongkong or departed from that and others residing at, or resorting to, the five port, with the pature of their cargoes; and ports to be opened, shall not go into the sur- the Canton authorities will apprize the customrounding country beyond pertain abort dis | houses at the five ports, in order that by these tances to be named by the local authorities in arrangements and precautions all clandestine concert with the British consul, and on no pre- | and illegal trade under the cover of passes may tence for purposes of traffic. Seamen and per- be averted.

sons belonging to the ships shall only be allow- 17th-"Or Additional Articles relating to ed to land under authority and rules, which | British small, Craft. - Various small wessels. will be fixed by the consultin communication | belonging to the English nation, called schoonwith the local officers; and should any persons era, cutters, lorchas, &c., have not hitherto whatever infringe the stipulations of this been chargeable with tonnage dues. It is now article, and wander away into the country, they agreed in relation to this class of vessels, which shall be seized and handed over to the British ply between Hongkong and the city, and the Britain; city and Macao, that if they only carry passen-7th.—" The treaty of perpetual peace and gers, letters, and baggage, they shall as heretoriendship provides for British subjects and fore pay no tonnage dues. But if these small their families residing at the cities and towns craft carry any dutyable articles, no matter how i and equitably arranged for according to the constantly coming and going they make several rates, prevailing amongst the people, without trips a month, and are not like the large foreign cause whatever, be pleased to grant additional and none of this kind of small craft, it would and repetition the catch-words and party cries as the bank earned profits on the average of 10 direct telegraphic communication between the ture, owing partly to an excessive advance privileges to any of the subjects or citizens of be unnecessary to make any arrangements as immunities will be extended to and enjoyed by

SUBTERRANEAN-ELECTRICAL DIS-TURBANCES. (Nature, April 20th.

A few minutes before and after the earthto 14,500 bls., the largest seen since '65, when the government, shall flee to Hongkong, or to the quakes of the 17th March last, powerful positive perpetrate the common curse of bloodshed—that | meet the shareholders this time next year figures were 12,050 bla. and 15,050 bla. In English ships of war, or English merchant ships electrical current were rushing towards Eng. this has been the policy of the Government we under circumstances as bright as the pro-July about 4,000 bls. were taken on a basis of for refuge, they shall if discovered by the Eng. land through the two Angle-American tele- may acknowledge not only with complacency but sent were cloudy. The deposits showed. 32/0 for "Water mark" No. 3 Teatles and 31/6 lish officers be handed over at once to the graph cables, which are broken near Trinity with pride. You may, indeed, justly and pro- a reduction, consequent upon the diminution of for Tsoping's (chick) 3 Teatles; there excessive Chinese officers for trial and punishment; or if Bay, Newfoundland. Mr. C. F. Varley, C.E., perly deciare to me that this is a policy of jec- the rate of interest from 6 to 5 per cent. As a rates naturally caused large arrivals, and on before such discovery be made by the Eng. who informed us of the fact, broaches the novel lation in intention and effect; nor should I have an illustration of the adverse working of ex-28th July total receipts reached 22,500 bla. lish officers, it should be ascertained or suspect. epoculation that some earthquakes may be due any reason for surprise if you reminded me that change in India, he might mention that the During August, telegrams were received advi- ed by the officers of the government of China to subterranean lightning. He imagines that I have myself admitted as much in the House Budget of the Government of India showed a sing stagnant market in London, but these did | whither such criminals, and offenders have as the hot centre of the earth is approached, a of Commons. Certainly in addressing a col- loss on exchange of £69,000. The accounts not stop business, and considerable joint-account fled, a communication shall be made to the layer of hot dried rock may be found, which is league, in conferring with a loyal and a trained connected with the estate of Morgan, Melbourn, settlements took place at full rates; and it was proper English officer in order that the said an incolator, while the red bot mass lower down intelligence, it is unnecessary and even idle to and Co., Batavia, were nearly all wound up, not until the startling intelligence of declara- criminals and offenders may be rigidly search. is a conductor. If this conjuctore be true dissemble facts. But I am unaware of any and the allowance of £38,000 had been found tion of war by France against Prussia reached ed for, seized, and on proof or admission of and there is plausibility in it the world reason why they should be called, in public ample to cover the loss. He concluded by movus, (on 11th August) and buyers realized the their guilt delivered up. In like manner, if itself is an enormous Leyden jar, which only places and on formal occasions, by the names ing the adoption of the report and accounts. disastrous position of their purchases, that any soldier or sailor, or any other person- requires charging to a very moderate degree to which most aptly express the discontent they Three cases, namely, one European drunk, transactions ceased. But the anspension of whatever his caste or country—who is a sub- be equal to the production of terrific explosive engender. I may intend a policy of isolation

> ments being under 2,000 lbs., a fuir proportion venument, officer. In neither case shall con- A number of Mr. Verley's charts about carthe pire to its ruin. From such unworthy, such un annum. currents were published in the Government enlightened, such grovelling ideas, they must be The Chairman replied that the question had tive, who purchased to hold for higher rates : 10th - "At each of the five ports to be open. Blue Book of 1859-60, showing that the direction for bid," by absolute their serious consideration, and so it had been -Chops were sold at 29/0 a 29/6 per lb. Early ed to British merchants, one English cruizer tion of the far-seeings and judicious orged on them to bring in new directors of inin October a dragging business was done, but will be stationed to enforce good order and very notable degree determined by the contour policy that affrights their ignorance and alores fluence it was desirable to retain the old allow-

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Arrivals were trivial and a great diminution in 12th.— A fair and regular tariff of duties that the Coreans, having heard that this home and to maintain the honour and glory of stocks-was noticeable; being estimated at 900 and other dues having now been established, it expedition was shortly to start to invade their England at the same height at which it had

To attempt to treat them in a conciliatory you call discredit upon the only agency which

strained to crush the seed of barbarity and know what we can do; and, particul 13th .- "All persons, whether natives of treachery, and to plant for evermore the tree the duty of "maintaining the honour and glory

The Pall Mall Gazette made an attempt to place great." Assuredly I cannot nor do I grudge the publication of a document so eminently to which you, or perhaps I should rather say

efficacy as though they had been inserted in any time find that any Chinese-merchant ves- know that the country is not disinclined to of self-reliance guaranteed by enormous arms. tiary and Commissioners, shall henceforward ties. By this arrangement it is to be hoped great as they may be when their influence cannot permit myself to assent either in such be in force at the five ports of Canton, Foot that piracy and illegal traffic will be effectually upon the future of the Empire is regarded, are a policy for the future, or in such an estimate 15th. Should natives of China who may re- times before us; but I venture to assert, and earned-at the cost of seas of blood, of millions signatures of the respective plenipotentiary the recovery of such debts must be arranged those moments when the cares of office on the our own day and to be perpetuated for ever and commissioners, shall beneforward be in for by the English courts of justice on the spot; one hand and my own too conscious shortoom. by past generations. For my part, I who prebut if the Chinese debtor shall abscord and be lings on the other oppress my spirit, that no tend in some slight and obscure way to be also Srd.—"All penalties enforced or confiscations known to have property, real or personal, with- Ministry has ever surpassed that of which I a Minister who understands England, can never made under the third clause of the said general in the Chinese territory, the rule laid down in have the honour to be the bead, in diligence, consent to "make her great again" by any regulations of trade, shall belong, and he ap- the 4th clause of the General Regulations for in laboriousness, in the virtues of industry and such processes; and I ask your pardon for propriated, to the public service of the govern. Trade, shall be applied to the case; and it will enterprise. Therefore, I do not think you saying, in conclusion, that I regret that such thrown open, English merchante shall be al- between the parties. On the same principle, its industry and hard work. Nor was it tion as yourself.—I have the honour to be, ungraceful to admit that with all our la, faithfully yours, bours we had hitherto achieved little. He who has at least the responsibility of conductporte or places be permitted to trade with them, tion from the Ohinese government officers, ac, ing another great measure through the dangers the Rebel Wangs to be beheaded, notwith- if English merchant ressels shall, in contra- companied by statements, and full proofs of parliamentary conflict could say that with vention of this agreement, and of a proclama- the debts; institute an investigation into the grace; I may add; if you will accept a compliment paid tather to the head than to the heart, you could say it also with effect. Nor, though cers shall be at liberty to seize and confiscate | 16th.—"It is agreed that the custom-house the accuracy of the figures, do I quarrel with

> and also I wish to trouble you with a few all the largest shareholders to meet at the bank necessary remarks upon your further obser- and hear a full explanation of its affairs, and yations on the position and policy of Great | make the fullest inquiry. The board hoped by

of his opponents. That the policy of my Go- per cent, per annum. For five years out of the vernment has been to disengage the country | twelve the bank's profits averaged £95,000 per from the embarrassments of continental annum. (Cheers). Though the banks was donimbroglies, and to desociate it from these peri- the moment as it were under a cloud by reasonlons policies which, depending for execution or | of the large and exceptional losses recently: for maintenance upon the continuance of enor- made, there was no reason why the bank should mous armaments, fatally derange the domestic not return a good dividend in the fature, and economy of the nations they oppress, while they | he had every reason for hoping that he should we business did not last long, for natives being ject of the crown of England, shall, from any discharges, without inviting or desiring the oding which

either the disease or the remedy, and even gives | Bombay, and of the nomination of Mr. Wiese, to the palate or the imagination of the suf- ified by the purchase of 100 shares, and who

temporaneously with it, this being a merely quiet, Chinese being almost the only buyers :- lieve such ship of war by another, intimation of the Emperor's father. On that day last | the importance of such apparent trifles in the | Mr. Castella stated that he quite confirmed are prepared to reply up to b p.m. home timy, formal sentence. His Lordsbip remarked on total settlements reached now 23,000 bla, the original sentence it is, my dear the opinion of the chairman, and he was glad this is equivalent to their having by Hongkon? the enormity of the crime, and the general smallest seen since 1866. The holidays in the consul, or by the British superintendent of the opportunity thus afforded him before the time till I a.m. the next morning to do so terrorism which the prisoner had exercised over earlier part of November interfered with busi- trade where circumstances will permit—to the been unveiled; but the outbreak of hostilities the public countenance and acceptance confirmation of his appointment by the share-There is, therefore, never any hurry to send the natives at Kowloon, Ont of five informations ness, but as holders became anxious sellers, and lucal Chinese authorities, lest the appearance with France necessarily deferred it. The en-

Pound volumes of the TRADE REcognise Hippolite Nicutes, Esq., as Acting why the prisoner had beaten the woman about for Red Peacock; re-resid descriptions at the back and shoulders with an iron bar.

The French, under Admiral Rose, is the the passage—from which however, I do not entracted attention and were taken at 31/0 to 31/6 gulations of Trade, seeing that British ships

Year 1867, made an attempt to open the Corea tirely withhold my concurrence—in which animated me to address you on that point i your speech, Lappronob another. I refer to Should there be any truth in the report hold every man to the obligation to defend his lbs. Only 300 bls, were settled during the is to be hoped that the system of smuggling territory, have procured large quantities of been held through many generations. If by latter part of this month, chiefly Szechnen, which has heretofore been carried on between fire arms, we may anticipate severe lighting, enjoining distrust of treaties and alliances you the world, are for a Power like England, so

> "word of stateamen," at appears to me that The Treaty with Japan was first made by moral obligation in the governance of the world Of one thing we feel convinced, knowing but of the sense in which you will be underof England at the same beight at which it had been hold through many generations." I bave to day seen this sentence quoted by a weekly journal of some consideration, a journal proper to rashness and belligerency in its discussion We subjoin the letter which has caused so of foreign affairs, "ne" " having the true ring much sensation at home, and was no sooner about it of a Minister, who understands Engprinted than officially declared to be a forgery. I and, and who may one day help to make her of defence, and the opinion appears to be that indicates to me the danger of misapprehension

calculated to deceive was utterly unwarranted - the Cabinet, may be expected by the repeti-The authenticity of the following letter has to signify, not unnaturally, the existence been questioned, and even denied; but not, so amongst at least some of her. Majesty's Ministra ters of a restive spirit which I am anxious to My dear Goschen,-I need hardly say, for deprecate not only in the Cabinet but in (Signed) Dat Jo Kan. | finally examined into, adjusted and agreed | 14th .- An English officer will be appointed you can scarcely doubt, that with much of the the country at large. Taken in connection speech which as I see by the newspapers you with the centences which precede it, it appears delivered at the Mansion House on Monday I to mean this that distrusting treaties, cordially sympathize. You said no more than abandoning alliances, placing no faith in the was just -and it is a sensible comfort to me to word of statesmen, our future is to be a future agree with you—when you spoke of our la- ments. And by means of these armaments, in: bours; labours which I undertake to say, even which every man is to bave part, we are to while I shrink from comparison with my great maintain "the honour and glory" of England predecessors in office, no Minister has ever ex- at "the same height at which it was beld ceeded. The results, considerable and even through many generations." I am afraid I not, perhaps, so vast as have been achieved in as is here implied in the "honour and glory." dare, to console myself with the reflection in of treasure, of debt and misery continued to overstept the bounds of modesty, or exceeded heated, such alluring, such declading visions the duc limits of loyalty to the Cabinet to should be encouraged by a colleague of jmine which you belong, when you spoke of and a Minister of such authority and considerate

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA. AUS-TRALIA, AND CHINA. (London and China Express.)

The annual meeting of shareholders in this bank was beld at the London Tavern on the 19th April, T. A. Mitchell, M.P., in the chair. your description of the abolition of purchase as | The report of the directors, which appears in

of these returns will be embodied in one return. nation." But apart from -as I venture to think The Chairman and he had a painful duty to them—the intrinsic demerits of exaggerated and | discharge, and so painful a circumstance had extravagant statement, I question whether it is not happened to him during the whole twelve expedient for a Minister of State to adopt and | years he had been connected with the bank?" repeat as his own the language of newspaper | Both himself and his co-directors were largely writers; especially when, as in this case, it interested in the bank. Some shareholders happens to be too striking and too inaccurate had complained that the board did not call to to be easily forgotten. In such a case, not only half-vearly meeting in October last; but as the does he commit an injustice to himself, but to only business of that meeting could be the dethe original ty and decorum of his colleagues. | claration of a dividend, and as the board could It may be conceded, however, that this is not a not pay a dividend on account of the losses, grave matter. I am more concerned with your they dispensed with the meeting, and sent out observations upon the transactions of the Go- an explanatory circular to the shareholders. vernment with Foreign Powers during the There was no reason for the great depression" progress of those stupendous events of which in the shares as quoted on the Stock Exchange. we are now witnessing the happy termination; Prior to the present meeting the board invited

that course to obviate any painful discussion at So cautious an opinion as that which you ex- the meeting, the only result of which might be," press upon the foreign policy of the Govern- for a time to effect the bank's credit in the ment may entely be held without inconvenience, East. Adverting to the report, he said there I think. You justly may that policy has not was a deficiency of £59,000, which forbade the of Canton. Foodbow, Amoy, Ningpo, and small the quantity may be, they ought in prin- been "other than honourable" to the country, board paying any dividend. The causes of the Shanghai, without molestation or restraint. It cipal to pay their full convage dues. But this It might well be maintained, perhaps, that in deficiency of profits were primarily that a large is accordingly determined that ground and class of small craft are not like the large ships no niggard and negative sense, but in a generous portion of the bank's capital being laid downhouses, the reat or price of which is to be fairly | which are engaged in foreign trade, they are and positive sense, the foreign policy of the in the East, upon making up the accounts it Government has been honourable to the country. | was the custom of the board to take the capital You are aware that there is no point involved laid down there at the rate of exchange on the exaction on either side, shall be set apart by ships, which on entering the port cast anchor at in my conduct of affairs upon which I am more day the accounts were closed. Acting upon the local officers in communication with the Whampon, If we were to place them on the some sensitive than this; and will therefore forgive this custom, it so happened that on the closing consul, and the number of houses built or rent. footing as the large foreign ships, the charge | me the indulgence of unwanted heat when doubt | of the last accounts the rates of exchange were ed will be reported annually to the said local would fall unequally; therefore, after this, the or question is cast upon it. Allow me, then, to exceptionally low, thereby causing a deprecia-Darwin will be completed this year, and now Song-ling and Hochow, Tsatlees) for which officers by the consul, for the information of smallest of these consults. times be valuable as auxiliaries, but the add to their the list the present undertaking, there was a very brisk competition, causing their respective viceroys and governors; but five tone, and the largest not to exceed one it judicious to admit the charge brought against condly, the bank had passed through agreat criefs the number cannot be limited, seeing that it hundred and fifty tons; whenever they enter that policy in various malignant quarters, or in Bombay, where many failures had occurred. and Laws, who have conducted the present giving a laying down cost of fully 1/6 a 2/0 will be greater or less according to the resort the port with cargo), they wise to frank the language in which the accusa. Besides that, the bank had advanced some shall pay tonnage dues at the rate of one mace tion is drawn. The current jargon is that we £50,000 on certain goods warehoused at Shang-8th .- "The Emperor of China having been per ton register. If not so large as seventy- have adopted "a policy of isolation," and I hai, a great portion of which were fraudulently graciously pleased to grant to all foreign coun- five tons, they shall still be considered and observe that in your speech you accepted the abstracted without the knowledge of the bank's will be interesting to China readers to learn 5 Tsatlees from Tis. 520 a 540 per pion (27/8 | ties whose subjects or citizens have hitherto charged as of seventy-five tons, and if they description as a fair or at least an admissible agent, and by this a loss of some £22,000 had traded at Canton, the privilege of resorting for exceed one hundred and fifty tons they shall one. My humble opinion is fand I entreat your been incurred. The amount was included in purposes of trade to the other four ports of be considered as large foreign ships, and like forbenrance while I express it) that to do so the estimate of £59,000, and, as usual, the whose foresight, energy and powers of organi- and fair to good Chincum Laysaums at Tla. Fuhchoo, Amoy, Ningpo, and Shanghai, on the them charged storinge days at the rate of five was indiscreet. So far az my knowledge ex- board had taken the worst possible view. Looksation have been the chief elements in the 430 a 450 per picul (2!/11 a 24/0 per lb.) These same terms as the English; it is further agreed made per register ton. Funds, it has never been deemed part of a ing back over twelve years, he considered the

Mr. John Jones, chairman of the City Benk,

Mr. Adamson asked the Chairman if attention had been given to the expenses of manageguage, and a third of "no pass," which was 3/6 per 1b., induced buyers to re-enter into the Chinese territory, such soldier or sailor the same time, and so were many of the Eng- rashly cast upon such a policy ;—isolation being ment at home as well as the East. He would attributed to a stomach-ache, and vindicated in the market and buy at this reduction, to reduce or other person shall be apprehended and lish land lines, but the only observations as to to them a word for decrepitude and dishonour, a call attention to the fact that in their days of the mitigated penalty of ten cents, and the the average cost of their earlier purchases, confined by the Chinese authorities, and sent the direction of the preparation and decoy for every monstrous prosperity and ten percent dividends, the allow-September was rather a quiet month, settle- to the nearest British consular, or other go; means of the Anglo American telegraph cables. disaster that can afflict a nation or bring an em- ance to the board was increased to £4,000 per

seconded the motion.

With feelings similar to those which have fore he joined the board,

unantimited as also the redication of Mr. Wil- of transmitting transmitting in such a case. A lium Medicine and Mr. John Jones as directors, and the appointment of Mr. Gryther, fine of 20s. was inflicted; with the ulternative of pension of half salary. Mr. Slater proposed the ne-election of Mr. Thorp and Mr. Lewis as named Roland Meredith entered the Railway the re-election of Mr. Thorp and Mr. Lewis as thanks to the directors and Mr. Gwyther. Mr Bott, of Mearrs, Armistead and Co.; in seconditte the vote, said be bad examined the apopunts. and he was extisted that ample allowence had seen made for all losses, and he had confidence in the future, so much so that he had increased his holding of shares, mer and becation 

HOME NEWS. (Slemman we From the London " Daily News.") SATURDAY, April 15th. anch satisfactory, progress that no more bulle-Quantil be issued against the to "Eligifourteenth auniversary of the birth of Princese Beatrice, the youngest child of her Majesty, was celebrated yesterday, at is officially announced that the International Exhibition will be opened on the lat of May, by the Prince of Wales and the Princess Obfiction?"It is the third time that this date will have been effected for such an event. The

the Duke of Combudge was the head. a meeting of the Commistee of the French is represented by Cain Paris by Abel. Relief Fund, which was held at the Mansionwhich and been entrusted to the Paris Com- he has been appointed Commander of the gun-puttee, for distribution in the provinces. From boats of the Seine. It is stated, however, that this it appeared that the mombers of the Com- owing to a sudden fall in the water of the intermitted sand be elicited.

deen, and Palmarston Administrations, and fixing the suscent being wanting. There would

Norfalk stook : plane syesterdhy, and the final the temperature of rother report, reserved by the Con- obtained now with difficulty. mustered 2,882 supporters, and Mr. Gurdon, polled by the late Mr. Howes, who was second

Kesterday, Colonel. White was returned as Alderman, for Portsoken Ward by 347 vete 4 approst 800 recorded for Mr. Sheriff

where she was soon joined by her husband, Glenartney has brought 1004 chests Bengal Torney was captured on Thursday evening, drug. when some of the diamonds telonging to June 147H, Evening.

Messrs London and Ryder were found upon A fair native deptand has existed for Patna him. He was brought up at the Marylebone at \$580, Benares at \$557; on credit; Patna on when some of the diamonds telonging to Police court yesterday afternoon, when Mr. time, due 20th illstant, \$5811 to \$5821, with few Parkes, the assistant to the prosecutors, identified the prisoner as the man who took such an active part in the robbery at the house in Upper Berkeley-street on the 12th January, Mr. Ryder also recognised him as having called. at his shop under the name of Mark Tyrell. He was remanded for a week; However

At the Middlesex Sessions yesterday, a gardener named Donnelly was convicted of 37 per cent. prem. Sugar shares have declined having maliciously damined five vines, valde and are now quoted \$12 per share discount. £20, the property of a former employer. He was sentenced to mine months imprisonment, Our Special Correspondent in Paris described

the cannonade on Tuesday night us more violent than any which took place during the siege, the whole sky being lighted up by the fisahes of the guns. He now states that this cannonade was morely the result of over-zeal, and that it led to nothing. The insurgents at the outposts. On New York --- > in front of Chatillon, thinking that an attack was about to be made upon them, opened fire On Bonnay. Bank, 3 days' sight 239 to 2291 upon Chatillon, and sent-out a large number of Or Calcurra. -Bank, 3 days' sight 229 to 2291 men with field-pieces towards Clamatt. Not On Shanghal. the alightest notice was, however, taken of these demonstrations by the enony, so that no. engagement at all took place.

The same Correspondent says that what the loader of the present movement in Paris really want is a federation of free towns to override, Hongkong Bank Shares, Old-36 per centthe influence of the country districts, and to rule France. The Ministers at Versailles do Hongkong Bank Shares, New-31 per cent. not see this, and think that the towns require. nothing more than their municipal indepen- Union Insurance Society of Canton, new shares

have been disbanded) in consequence of their hostile attitude towards the Commune. The China and Japan Marine Insurance-Tls. 54 decree which announces this rico announces that the battalions are to be immediately reorganized, and that every man refusing to serve n the National Guard will be disarmed, and. f need be, arrested.

now been cut. Paris is thus dependent for its. Commune, posted up in Paris on Thursday had been repulsed, and all their positions

carried. An official contradiction of the report that the insurgents had recaptured Neutly bridge has been published at Versailles. There was a violent cannonade outside Paris yesterday morning, and an engagement at

Asniares, which is described as primportant. Monday, April 17. DIAIDSAIF AS A series of prizes for collections of economic entomology have been offered by the Royal Horticul (trial Society. At a meeting of the Metropolitan Asylums Board on Saturday, a report from Dr. Bridges, Indo-Chinese Sugar Company-\$12 per share; Medical Offices of the Poor Law Board, was read, calling attention to the decrease of smallpor in the metropolis, and stating that there are now considerably more than 2,000 persons suffering from this disease. He added that the

Poor Law Board would offer every assistance to the execution of any fessible plan for supplying additional accommodation. The Lords of the Admiralty baving placed the Dread nought hospital ship at the disposal of the Board as a convaisscent establishment, the offer was accepted out seaments says armacing On Saturday afterdoon the second meeting of the London Athletic Club was held on the Middlesex County Cricket Ground, West Brompton, and the guthering is described as cheong to Chun-chuen merchant. Daving Deen a successful jone, at a

to be held in Londs under the suspices of the Labour Representation League. Some extreme politicians: guthered in Hydepark yesterday afternoon, and voted an address of sympathy with the Communists of Paris. One of the resolutions denounced in strong terms the press of this country; set forth the merchant to Tai hing. necessity for the establishment of a daily Republican organ; and pledged the meeting to

A series of weekly public meetings, for the

discussion of political and social directions, are

support such a paper, should it be called inte Easter term was opened on Saturday after the judges had been received by the Lord

A memorial to Colonel Fraser is in course of signature, calling attention to the insdequate accommodation for members of the police force within the City proper, and asking for permission to reside outside the boundaries. It is small-pox infirmary, bence the objection of clation.

the men and their families to live there. Also a fe The three men who were lately brought up the Chinese Language, in two Parts. Bow-street on a charge of compiracy to estain. a certificate of naturalization for a Russian lady, underwent a further examination before Sir Thomas Henry on Saturday, when the case for the prosecution was completed, and the witnesses were bound over to appear at the next accession of the Central Criminal Court. Mr. Milbanke, who lately appeared at the they have always on hand all sorts of Coul for quarto pages.

tion by composition or arrangement.

There was another prosecution at the Lam-

Tayern, at Hornsey, and made a wident and unprovoked attack upon Mr. Scoles, proprietor who is 79 years, of age. His assailant ondea. youred to escape; but was captured. Mr. Scoles is in such a dangerous state that it has been considered necessary to take the depositions. An effort in being made to proque a remission of the capital sentence lately pasted upor Michael Campbell, on the ground that he did

not intend to murder Mn Galloway, when he struck the fatal blow. Our Special Correspondent in Paris says that the fighting makes a great din but is dore show than reality. The Parisinns, he adds are for the most part fighting the hir, and every night obtain great giotomes over amaginary loca. The battery at the Procedero fires all day at Mont Valerien, but is replied to only at intervals. Marebal MacMahon is said to have promised to put an end to the insurrection in a month. According to a report of the insurgent General Closeret, the Versailles troops attacked Fort Vanves at midnight on Friday, but were

repulsed. General Endes. in his report, says Exhibition of E51, was opened by her Majesty, the night was fearful, and that the enemy suf-and that 1862 by a Royal Commission, or which fered enermous losses. Among the new papers recently started in Paris is one called Cain and Abel. Versailles Lieutenant Lullier, who was recently arrest house. A letter was read from Mr. W. H. ed and imprisoned by the Communial authorial Noveott with reference to a sum of £28,000, ties, now appears to be restored to layour, as

mitten had gither left Paris, or were under river, caused by the opening of looks, the Arresta Mr. Notoott-described an interview vessels cannot be made any use of.

which had said below Archbishop of Paris, in M. Chassin, a French writer who went as which they solicit from intending purchasers. Maris prison, from whom, however, very little mediator to Verseilles, has been arrested there. In Paris, the same fate has befallen the Cure of Sir Maziero Brady, whose death is announce. St. Roch and M. Chandey, a writer on the Sicola. cd was three times Livid Chancellor of Ireland, F. In the Franch Atsembly on Saturday the having hievously filled the posts of Solicitor Finance Minister, M. Pouyer Quertier, brought shill Attorney General and Chief Baron of the in his amended budget of expenditure for 1871. Excheduer in that kingdom. He retained the It was not proposed, he said, to make any Great Seal of Ireland under the Russell, Aber change in the war estimates, the materials for

the term of his office observed a period of nearly be a saving of 107,000,000 france in other detwenty years. When Lord Russell resigned, partments, it was impossible to estimate the mility 1868, Mr. Bridy retired on a pension revenue until order was restored. revenue until order was restored. and that Gladstone a accession to power, in provisions are becoming scarce there, and that The sontestifor the representation of South English and Australian preserved mest, which was very plentiful a few weeks ago, can only be

M. Guizot has published at long and very 2.564 sibble giving the former a majority of 321. generous letter to exhase the Executive Govern-The Siberale, bowever, place their candidate in ment of France for its indecision and weakness seminifrityfof 878. Attithe last contested elec- in dealing with the revolt in Paris. The only tidit i shoothis division, which took place in excuse he offers, however, is that the necessity Newschoor 1868 Mr. Hudson, the Liberal of attacking Paris placed M. Thiers and the fididate, was 1,376 votes behind the number | Assembly in a very painful position. They took time and gave time, and now they are acting with onergy:

COMMERCIALINTELLIGENCE The land live Sed, Evening. A good amount of business has been done in addichael Norpey let at length in the bands of Bengal drug. "At the opening of the market the spolices Aftenbiel wife's acquittal at the Patna was placed at \$5761 cash, \$5771 credit; February Westlone of the Central Criminal Court | Benares at \$5521 to \$555; closing at \$580 and Her mirements were watched by Inspector \$5574 for the respective descriptions. The mar-Shore. Although shardressed herself in deep ket for Malwa opened at \$635 on oredit, at low prices. morning-and dyed her hair black, the was which about 300 chests changed thand, on cash traced to a house in the Marylebone-road, terms it dan be obtained \$850. The steamer

sellers. Malwa \$630 cash, \$635 oredit, sellers. JUNE 5TH, MORNING. No change at present in the drag market.

The share market continues weak; Banks, old, have been done at 36 per cent. for cash, and new at 31 per cent for cash, and 314 for end of June. Fires are dull at quotations. Steamboats have further declined, and can be had at

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According to an official announcement of the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's "Shares-30 per cent. discount. evening, all the attacks of the Versailles troops | Hongkong, Ilanton and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares - 87 per cent. prem. Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tis. 27 per share premium. Ohina Sha, Shizon, and Etraits Steamship Company - 5 per cent. discount China and Straits Steam Navigation Com-

> pany - 20 per cent. discount, Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$60 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-65 per Hongkong Distillery Company-10 per cent. romium, nominal. discount.

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For Freight, apply to
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FIRE A 1 British Ship BASS'S ALE, by Cameron and Sannders, Rice, Master, will have early despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to

tf 931 Hongkong, 30th May, 1871.

tf 796 Hongkong, 8th May, 1871. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRIN-DISI, MARSEILLES, SOUTHAMPTON

AND LONDON: BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM A. NAVIGATION, COMPANY'S, Steamship "AUSTRALIA," Capt. C. A. WHITE, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for Southampton, via Suez Canal, on FRIDAY, the 9th June, 1871, at noon. Cargo will be received on board until noon,

sage, apply at the P. & C. S. N. Co.'s Office, Correspondence insufficiently prepaid will be Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF forwarded by the English Packets. PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. Correspondence addressed to Yokohama, and A. Written Declaration of the Contents, the United States, must be superscribed per and Value of the Packages for the Overland AMERICA, and that addressed to the United Route is required by the Egyptian Government, Kingdom must be superscribed vid San Fran-and must be delivered by the Shippers to the cisco." Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or General Post Office.

Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration. The Company reserve the option of forward ing a goods shipped by their Steamers for Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by Canal in their own Steamors, or in vessels comployed for the purpose.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's

Black Bills of Lading. A. McIVER, Superintendent. Pennsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hongkong, Slat May, 1871. NOTICE:

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT

DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA. PORT SAID, MARSEILLES; PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, PORT LOUIS.

On FRIDAY, the 16th June, at noon, the mail bags, Company's Steamship "DONNAI," Post Office pattern.

PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will If either leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. on the 15th June. (Parcels are not to be sent on board, they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

C. BERTRAND. Principal Agent. Hongkong, 3rd June, 1871. THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE FROM

CHINA AND JAPAN TO NEW YORK PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANIES.

HE Steamship AMERICA, Captain E. R. WARSAW, will leave Hongkong for San Francisco via Yokohama on MONDAY, the 12th June next, at 3 o'clook P.M., taking Passengers Mails and Freight, for the United States, Canada, Central and South America, and Europe. A Steamer of the Company will leave Shaughai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date, and make close connection at Yokohama.

The AMERICA will be due at San Francisco | 22 cents per 4 onuce. July 14th, whence daily Passenger trains and daily Freight trains are run over the Central twenty hours; and the distance 3,812 miles. The Silver Palace Sleeping Cars are run through on these trains, making Drawing Room are of the latest and best American pattern. being unexcelled for comfort and convenience. At New York, Passengers have selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France

Through Tickets and Bills of Lading are lenburgh Schwerin and Mecklenburgh Strelitz, issued for transportation to Yokohama and Duchy of Brunswick, Grand Duchy of Oldenother Japan Ports, and San Francisco, for the burg (the Principality of Birkenfeld excepted), Overland Railroad, and to Europe by connecting the Duchy of Anhalt, the Austrian Provinces, Lines of Steamers. The Overland Railroad Belgrade, Servia (Belgrade excepted), Montena-Companies Guarantee 12 days time for Silk and pro, Schleswig and Holstein, 30 cents per 1 18 days for Teastand General Merchandise, source between San Francisco and New York. Favorable arrangements have been unde for 182 cents per 1 ounce. Through Passengers and Freight to America

from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Beturn Passage Tickets issued for Yokohama Pre-payment is compulsory in the case of and other Japan ports at one and a half re- Letters for Spain, Gibraltar, Countries beyond guiar rates. -Value and weight of Parcel Packagos required; all Packages should be marked to ad-

No Freight received after noon of the 11th prox. No Parcel Packages received after 5 P.M. For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply at the Agency of the Company,

T. A. HARRIS,

Hongkong, May 18th, 1871. L. FRICKEL & Co., CHIPCHANDLERS, SAILMAKELS GENERAL STOREKEEPERS.

COMMISSION AGENTS.

41422 Ouren's Road. Hongkong.

WING-KEE COAL SHOP. FITHE Proprietor of WING-KEE Shop begs to that he has always a great quantity of Best form a part of the address.

COAL in store for Sale. Gentlemen or Ship
F. W. I masters wishing to patronise him, are requested to gooly at his Shop. ly 669 Hongkong, 24th April, 1871.

Post-Office Actifications.

A mail will close. For Bangkok.-Per Luzon, at 3.30 P.M. this For Nagnanki.—Per brig Sophie, at 3:50 P.m. For Saigon.-Per Azof, on Wednesday, the 7th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

MAILS TO LEAVE SHANGHAI. (By Telegraph).
For Ningpo, at 3 30 r.m. to-day. For Hankow and ports, at 6 P.m. to day, General Post-Office, Hongkong, 5th June, 8.10 A.M.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET." The English Contract Packet "AUSTRA-LIA," will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on FRIDAY, the 9th June, Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 8th June. The Post-Office will be open until 7 P.M. on the 8th June.

Letters, &c., may be posted during the night in the box left open for their reception.

Letters for registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 9th June. Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 9th June, without Into fee. .. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 9th June, will not be forwarded unless the Late Fce of 18 cents each as well as the postage is prepaid. The Latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 9th June. Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on pay-

to the postage." S. BARFF: \_ pro. Postmaster General. General Post-Office. Hongkong, 31st May, 1871.

ment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition

MAILS BY THE "UNITED STATES PACKET! The United States' Mail Packet AMERICA will be disputched on MONDAY, the 12th instant, at 3 P.M., with the Mails-For Yokohama, San Francisco, the United States' and the United Kingdom. The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Books, Newspapers, &c., until 2.30 P.M. Letters can be posted on board the Packet from 2.30 P.M. to 2.50 P.M., on payment of a

and Specie and Parcels until 2 P.M. on the 8th | Late Fee of 12 cents in addition to the Postage. The Prepayment of the Postage to all the For Particulars regarding Freight and Past above places by this route is compulsory.

> S. BARFF, pro. Postmaster General. Hongkong, 2nd June, 1871.

It is hereby notified that, in future. Patterns r Samples of Merchandize of no intrinsic value may be sent from Hongkong, or from any of the British Post Office Agencies in China and Japan, to Spain and the Balearic and the Cana-ry Islands, via Southampton, subject to the ollowing Regulations. 'Ist.—The postage must be prepaid.

2nd.—There must be no writing, in additionto the address of the person for whom the packet is intended, and the address of the sen; der other than a manufacturers or trade mark and numbers, and the prices of the articles. : 3rd.—The Patterns or Samples must be sent n'covers open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination. Samples, however, of seeds, drugs, and so forth, which cannot be sent in open cover; may be inclosed in bags of linen, paper, or other material, tied at the neck with a string, so that the Officers of the Post Office may be able to satisfy themselves as to the nature of 4th.—No Packet of Patterns must exceed two feet, British, in length, or one feet, British,

in width or gepth. No article likely to injure the contents of the mail bags, or the person of any Officer of the Post Office, may be sent through the Post as a If either of the foregoing rules be infringed, the packet will not be forwarded. The rates of postage chargeable will be as follows:-

FOR A PACKET. Not exceeding 2 oz., 8 cents. Above 2 oz., and not exceeding 4 oz., 16 cents. Every additional 4 onnces, 16 cents.

F. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General General Post Office. Hongkong 13th February, 1871.

Arrangements having been made by the French Post Office for embarking and disembarking the British Overland Mails to and from France at Brindisi, thereby necessitating the payment by the French Post Office of a transit rate to the Italian Post Office, it has been determed to augment the rate of postage on ctters exchanged in the direct Mails between Hongkong and the French Post Office. The rates of postage chargeable in Hongkong upon letters sent to France and countries

To France, Algeria, the French Offices in Currey (except Constantinople), and the Office at Tunis and Tangiers, 22 cents per 1 ounce. To Juffa, Beyrouth, Tripoli (Syria), Latakia, Alexandretta, Messina, Rhodes, Smyrna, Mitylene, the Dardanelies, Gallipoli, Ineboli, Kerassun, Salonica, Samsoun, Sinope, Sulina, Trobizond, Tultcha, Varna, Galatz, and Ibraila,

through France will, in future, be as follows.

To Spain and Gibraltar, 24 cents per 1 ounce. To the Grand Duchies of Luxemburgh and and Union Pacific Railroad Lines for New Baden, Belgium, the Netherlands, Portugal, York and for all the principal cities in the Rhenish Prussia, Bavaria. Wurtemburg, the interior and upon the Atlantic Seaboard. The Principalities of Hohenzollern, Birkenfeld, time between Sau Francisco and New York by Hesse-Homburg, Lippe, Schwartzburg-Rudol-First-class Passenger trains is aix days and stadt and Reuss, the Duchies of Nassau, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha and Saxe-Meiningen-Hildburghausen. Hesse-Electoral, Hesse-Darmstadt, the Duchy of Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, the Free Cars by day, and Sleeping Cars by night; and Cities of Frankfort-on-the-Maine, Hamburgh. Bremen, and Lubeck, Switzerland, and Italy, 26 cents per 2 ounce. To Countries beyond Sea without distinction.

28 cents per 1 ounce. To Prussis (Rhenish Provinces excepted). Hanover, Saxony, the Grand Duchies of Meck-

To Denmark, the Papal States and Austria, To Moldavia, Wallachia, Turkey in Europe. from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and Sweden, Norway, Poland, and Russis, 44 cents per 1 ounce. Sea, Servia (Belgrade excepted), and Mon-Letters may be registered to all the above

Jaces, except Spain, Portugal and Gibraltar. and the Austrian Provinces: the fee for regisration is the same amount as the postage on each letter respectively. Newspapers and Prices Current cannot be

F. W. MITCHELL. · Postmaster-General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 18th February, 1871.

LETTERS, &c., ADDRESSED "LONDON' ONLY. Many persons are in the habit of addressing Letters, &c., for well-known Firms and Individuals, to "London" only; but this practice [Ag1 | not unfrequently occasions delay in such Letters &c. reaching their rightful owners. In all. cases, however well the Firm or Individual. for whom a letter is intended may be known, it is, most essential, to ensure its correct and inform the Public that his Shop has been prompt delivery, that the streets in which they portion of her cargo engaged, will load at established since 1855, at Budicott's Lane, and reside, and the number of the house, should f. W. MITCHELL.

> Posimaster General General Post Office. Hongkong, 31st, January, 1870.

## Extracts.

England and the Suss Canal. (Daily News.)

Will the Sucz Canal pay ? These are questions late Viceroy to report appropriate practicability which are likely to obtain currency during the of forming the Unnel when the mass of opinion next few days; and are calculated to revive old was hostile, and when an adverse verdict from rates. histories, if not old controversics. Sixteen him would have caused the work to be stopped months ago this evening the rejoicings over the and that he then pronounced uncompromis aucocseful opening of the Capal terminated in ingly in its favour. His report to the Vice a state ball given by the Viceroy of Egypt at roy can be obtained at the booksellers, and is his palace at Grand Cairo. The procession of well worth studying by any one who de ires to FIHE Undersigned having been appointed to the smount of Nat Premia contributed. ships of all nations had made its way to Suez understand, the subject, or who has doubts from Port Said a few days before; and the so- concerning the perfect efficiency of the Canal lemn function on the shores of the Mediter- as it exists. Mr. Hawkshaw, who was present rancan, in which dignitaries of the Roman at the opening ceremonies in November, 1869, Catholic and Greek Churches and learned Mol- condemned the silly talk as to the necessity lahe of the Mahommedan faith, had offered up of doubling the width as strongly as he contheir prayers and bestowed their benedictions firmed the opinion he had already given as to in unison, had already become history. In the Canal's absolute and permanent success: spite of all the good wishes and sanguine pre- and the English public may be estisfied that dictions evoked by M. de Lesseps's triumph, should a new commercial combination b some of the English guests were not quite formed, its aim will be to develop traffic and inestiefied. Their personal enjoyment was well crease revenue, rather than the reckless and usecared for; but their country did not seem to less squandering of millions which any vain-thom to be adequately represented. Mr. (now glorious attempt to double the width of the Sir Henry) Eiligt, her Majesty's representative Canal would most surely result in. M. at Constantinople, attended the ceremonies on Lessopa bas proved to be right after all. behalf of England; while France had its Em. That floating castle, the troop thip Jumna, has press, Austria its Emperor, Peassia its Crown been through his, "ditch" in safety; the Prince, Holland Prince Oscar, and Italy the Peninsular and Oriental captains would not present King Amadeus of Spain, though the about taking their steamers along it without a ceremony on account of the alarming illness' from their board; and if a return were drawn of his father, the King of Italy. It was felt up of the number of English ships which are that England was making but a poor show by too large or too deep in the water for the side of these exalted personnges. In all the the Canal, its etatistics would be conclusive. glittering throng there was nothing to be seen Where the Junia can go, the other troopfrom England more imposing than a deputy ships, as well as nearly all the morebant navy lieutepant's uniform and a provincial mayor's of the world, can follow; and this should be gown and chain; and when the word went round enough to show England how truly great are that one field-marshal-looking wearer of scarlet the existing capabilities of the Suez Canal, as cloth and cocks feathers was chiefly delebrated | well as the deep importance of her own relations for the useful but not martial deed of arrange to it. ing the water supply of towns, that another |was known to fame and the music-shope as a li writer of poetry, and a third was eminently the Members of Parliament, capitalists, and French capital; savans, who were attending in their private

and the heavy cost of administration in con- church alone. nection with the Canal; and a conviction grew that the hard and practical business element must have a larger share of the man-

when these are carried out the cost of the return | dence not touch one's most with one's fingers; is destined to bring about. Steam will triumph | himself a monopoly in favour of at see as it bas done on land. Sailing ships for carrying on our trade with the East will Brought into custom here, as they are in Italy, gradually become as rare as stage-coaches, and To the sparing of napkins," as England's traffic through the Suez Canal which would have resulted in his making of exceeds both in tonnage and value that of the world put together, it would not seem inappro-priate if she were henceforth to play a leading one of Beaumont and Fletcher's plays, "your part in its management. Among the many chimerical assertions to

Canal, and of thus expending many more millions of money in mere engineering, would be that this could pass each other, and that two that ships could pass each other, and that two chants, do opposite streams of traffic could pursue their respective courses at the same time. This is At Tamworth a child, eight years old, has tantamount to stating that if the Canal were as been sent to gad for a month for breaking a crowded with ships to and from the East as window, while trying to hit a bird with a stone! equivalent of Cannon-street. But masmuch as Voysey " are little short of £2,500. plain fact is that the Canal is a substantial suc- The War-office anthorities are giving it an cess so far as an exodient and sufficient means securination.

of communication between sea and sea is concerned: and the scientific forecist of John Hawkshaw, F.A.S., the eminent engineer, made years before its completion, has been varified in every particular. It should not be forgot-Will the Sucz Canal fall into England hands? | ten that this gentleman was sugaged by the intter was summoned home before the opening qualm, if they had but the necessary authority

A Enneral Celebrated under Difficulties. One of the Paris correspondents of the ing................... successful in what our American cousing term | Daily News tells the following story to illustrate | Above 3 months ) "the dry goods line," it was not wonderful that the present conditions of life and death in the and not exceed. > 6

A hearse drawn by two black horses drew up | Above 6 months the full annual rate. capacities, should have wished to see some before the church which faces what used to be held a position in the successive pageants which all alone with the coffin; no mutes, no mournshould have been commensurate to their ere, no attendants of any kind. What could country's weight and power, as well as to the it mean? The door of the church was opened; special importance of the Canal to her interests | the pricet and the sexton came out, and after and possessions. Everything seemed French, inquiry took the coffin into the church. The A veneer of Parisian polish had been thrown explanation of the unwonted spectacle was as over the desert, and Port Said was a more con. follows: -In the Rue Duret, which abute on gregation of back streets from Marscilles and the Avenue de la Grande Armes at the one Havre with the inevitable central Place and lend, and on the Avenue de l'Imperatrice at Square. The pretty tasteful Ismailia had its the other, there lived an old maid who was apchateaux, boulevards, butels, and chantifits - parently friendless, and who, although very all French; while at every stopping place along ill, was abandoned by her relatives when the the Canal's banks, the stranger found French shells from Fort Valerica began to pour upon workmen, French tolltakers a French bureau, I that part of the town, scattering death and and French system. After he bad taken his destruction around. Fear and neglect added to ticket at Port Said or Ismailia for a passage by sickness, the poer old woman died in her distress, the daily boat, he was ushered into a whiting- and the men of the Pompes Funebres came to room, and kept there nutil its glass-door was bury ber, as they are bound. When all was unlooked by an official in the very way which ready and the hour of the funeral drew near, irritates a British tourist at a French railway the people of the neighbourhood put their station. In all particulars, too, concerning the heads out of their hiding-places and told the storing or conveyance of goods, "l'Adminis undertakers to beware, as the shells had been tration " was as prominent as in France under dropping round all the morning. The undertakers, however, who have a sad, determined port, is prepared to grant Policies against Fire, Before the Canal had been open six months | way of going to work, went on with their busithis minute organization was complained of ness as if they did not know what death meant. bitterly. The uccasion had gone by for any Suddenly, a shell burst close to the house, and display of national sensitiveness concerning the undertakers were in a moment scared out the apparently overweening influence of France; of their callousness. "Quick, quick," said the THE GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE ASbut, on the other hand, the captains and own. Commissary; "look sharp." Without more ers using the Canal had become auxious above ado the corpse was pressed into the coffin; the all things to have it properly worked. There coffin was trotted downstairs and rammed into was far too much routine, they said, in the the hearse. The coachman sat devoutly on the management. Forms and vouchers were need. box in a cold perspiration. The friends and lessly multiplied. Rules were absurdly strin- acquaintances of the deceased old lady hover gent, and bye-laws and minor regulations ri- nervously about the hearse, preparing to foldiculously searching, and minute. Sucz and low, when bang comes another shell. All take FINE Undersigned having been duly appointed Alexandria were full of "good stories," res. to their hools, and the coachman, lashing his L pecting the multiplication of departments, borses, whisks away at a gallop, arriving at the pared to take risks against Fire, on the usual

Forks and Pashion.

Of the effects of fashion upon trade there is agement if the engineering triumph was to no lack of curious instances. Nearly every be followed by commercial success. Some of stage, indeed, of man's progress from his first the officers of the Peninsular and Oriental rude barbarism to his present civilisation, and Company at Sucz were said to be able to prove of the consequent increase of commerce, called to demonstration that one or more of the de upon to satisfy his growing needs and artificial vis partments into which the Canal traffic was requirements, may be said to have been in part divided and subdivided could be far more pro- built up by fashion. Thousands of commodities, fitably worked, and, if we mistake not, one of now looked upon as absolute necessaries of life, their number offered to take the whole of one or only proper luxuries, have been brought into section of this traffic, to work it on his own use by novelty hunters, whose whim or wiedom responsibility, and to ensure to the Canal has been imitated by others, until each new. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and ] authorities a much larger profit than they fangled fashion has given birth to an important could possibly acquire under their own system. trade. So it is with articles of food, as we have For departments must have chiefs as well as already to some extent seen; so yet more with staffs; and the impression conveyed to inde. food utensils of every sort. Forks, for example, pendent observers six months after the open. now indispensable at every dinner table, and ing was, that too many posts had been created furnishing employment to half a dozen different for the enterprise to pay the shareholders. It trades, have hardly been in common use in Engis quite possible that some of the rules enfor. land, for two hundred years, "I observed," ced by the administration, and against which | said an old traveller, Thomas Coryate, in his the ships' captains inveighed, were salutary. "Crudities," published in 1611, "a custom in But the irritation was undoubted. A man all those Italian cities and towns through might not pick up his own anchor if it got which I have passed that is not used in any other adrift, and if out of two vessels belonging to country that I saw in my travels; neither do l the same owners, and engaged on the same think that any other nation of Christendon errand, one stock fast, its consort was not doth use it, but only Italy. The Italians do allowed to give it assistance. These are ex. always at their meals use a little fork when they amples of the regulations which have been out their meat. For while with the kaife, which they hold in one hand, they out the ment out But great improvements and economies have of the disb, they fasten the fork, which they been effected since. The expenditure on ad. | hold in their other hand, upon the same dish ministration has been reduced. The Canal as so that one who should unadvisedly touch the un enterprise has passed the period when the dish of meat with his fingers, from which all cost of maintenance exceeds receipts; and, the table do cut, will give occasion of offence though many of the ingenious and effective unto the company, masmuch that for his error dredging machines and elevators are kept at he shall be at the least brownesten, if not reprework, the receipts from the ships which pass hended in words. This form of feeding is through it are greatly in excess of the sum generally used in all places of Italy; their forks expended in improvements, Now comes the being, for the most part, made of iron, steel, question as to England's position in connection and some of silver, but those are used only by with the Suez Canal, and the advisability or gentlemen. The reason of this their curiosity the reverse of her taking a more active part in | in because the Italian cannot by any means its management than she has done hitherto, endure to have his dish touched with fingers. A party of English gentlemen, with the Duke seeing that all men's fingers are not slike clean. of Sutherland at their head, are on their way Hereupon I myself thought good to imitate the home after a personal inspection of the Canal. Italian fashion by this forked cutting of ment It will be interesting to learn their views, and not only while I was in Italy, but also in Gerif the result should be that the Suez Canal is, many, and oftentimes in England, since I came after all, worked by an English company, the home." Forks seems to have been employed in fact will make a curious comment upon the Italy by some at any rate since the eleventh munifestations and omissions of sixteen months | century; and though Coryate may be correct ago. It cannot be too clearly understood, how. in his boast of having first brought them into ever, in estimating possible charges in the man. | use in England, they were known in this country agenent of the Suez Canal, that it meds little | before his time. To Queen Elizabeth were prefurther outlay upon engineering works. It has sented, at different times, "a fork of orystal, been deepened and widened continously since the | and sparks of garnet;" " a fork of coral slightly opening day, and most of its awkward corners | garnished with gold;" and "a fork of gold bave been rounded off. There is great scope for garnished with two little rubies, two little pairle are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to increasing the traffic, and we are disposed to pendint, and a little coral." But the dainty the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goodsto think that it is in this direction in which the Queen preferred the old habit of fingering her stored thereon. guidance and support of English directors would | mest, and forks were for a long time regarded be really valuable. Negotiations are pending as a worthless, toppish institution. One divine at this time for supplying the markets of the in James I. a reign, preached a sermon against China seas with east from West Australia, and forks, declaring it to be "an insuit on Provijourney of steamers via the Canal will be great. and Fynes Morison, in his "Itinerary," publish ly reduced. The coal sent out from the pits of ed in 1617, advised all young travellers, " returnthe Australian. Newcastle is said to be of as ing home, to lay aside the spoon and fork of fine a quality for steam purposes as that sup. Italy, the affected gestures of France, and of plied by its north country namesake; and it really atrange apparel." Mercoraft, in Ben Johnson's seems as if this were one more portent of the "Devil is an Ass," makes fun of forks, when vast changes which M. de Lesseps's achievement. spenking of his " pains at Court" to obtain for

"The laudable use of forks,

fork-carving traveller" is spoken of as an object of contempt. Even in 1652, Heylin, speaking which the success of the Sucz Canal has given of the ivory sticks used for eating in China; rise is one to the effect that to be really useful and "the use of silver forks came hence into said "the use of silver forks came bence into its width should be doubled a proposition so Italy, and with us, taken up of late by some of fantastic in its extravegance as to bring a smile. Our spence called a from the resint England. fantastic in its extravagance as to cring a smile, our aprice gallants, from thence into England."
to the lips of those who are best qualified to Forks were then, and for some time after, looked form a judgment on the matter. The only con- more were then, and for some time after, looked upon as the about affectations of coxcomba; ceivable advantage of doubling the width of the

Cheapside and the Poultry used to be with We (Becord) understand that the costs of vehicles, it would be useful to reli ve it by the the prosecution slone in the case of "Noble v. | current rates.

the traffic has never exceeded one tenth of what NEW EXPLOSIVE. The Birmingham Gasette the Canal, as it exists now can carry, it is plain says that a novel explosive powder has been that it must be many years before any proposals | invented by Mr. Jos. Fenton, of Elmswell, near for materially widening it can be listened Bury St. Edmunds. The powder is white in to. It is almost comic to hear some of the colour, and, it is asserted, leaves no foulness in THE Undersigned having been appointed both ports included, and between MILWAUKE, Mary Miller. complaints which have been made from the gun after firing; may be made more L Agents for the above Company at this and ST. LOUIS in the interior, both inclusive. Meridian, time to time against the Canal by people cheaply; is of greater strength and quicker | Port, Shanghai, Foochow, Hankow, and Yoko | Also on MERCHANDISH F.A. by RAIL. Ma Men, who think it a greater hardship to be des combustion than either gumpowder or gum-cot hama, are prepared to accept Marine Risks at ROAD from SAN FRANCISCO to cities in tained a few hours at lemain than to send their ton; is unaffected by damp or exposure to the Ourrent Rates. merchandise and ships round by the Cape. The latmosphere; and cannot he fired by a blow.

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